



Spring Term in Year 1

English

Our reading and writing this term will focus around our class text The Colour Monster Goes To School. We will be working on our basic letter formation, capital letters, full stops and finger spaces.

We will be continuing with our Little Wandle Reading scheme.

HOW YOU CAN HELP - Please read at least 3 times a week with your child. Please read to your child, this can be their library book or a book of their choice - they do not need to be able to this book independently.



Maths

Our maths lessons this term will be focusing on place value, shape and calculation. We will be using our brand new power Maths scheme to complete challenges and practise our mathematics skill.

HOW CAN YOU HELP - Practise counting, number bonds and times tables with your child.

History

Our History work will consist of looking at our Monarchy and the King. We will be focusing on the history of schools and how they have changed within our living memory. We will be looking at how toys and technology have changed over time. We will be focusing on our two key texts of the Kings Pants and Lost in the Toy museum.

HOW CAN YOU HELP - talk about the our school with your child. Get grandparents to talk about their experience of schools.



Science

In our science sessions we will be learning about the human body, materials and completing observations on the seasons.

HOW CAN YOU HELP - talk about living things with your child and let them ask questions - as many as they like!

Art

In our art sessions this term we will be working on creating half and self portraits. We will be experimenting and playing with different art media.

HOW CAN YOU HELP - let your child colour, draw, paint, mark make and get messy!



PE

Our PE this half term will be gymnastics and basic skills such as throwing, catching and travelling.

HOW CAN YOU HELP - let your child play outside and run and jump and feel the fresh air!

