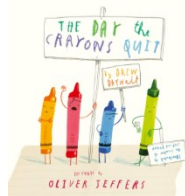


# Year 1 Newsletter

Summer 1 2025-2026

## English

This half term we will be reading 'The Day the Crayons Quit'. We will use this text to learn about letter writing and diary entries. Following this, we will be writing about our trip to Dudley Zoo. We will write recount texts about our experience. Also, we will be writing non-chronological reports about some zoo animals!



## Science

This half term, we will be studying 'Seasonal Changes'. Our topic is 'Wonderful weather'. Through this topic we will explore changes throughout the 4 seasons and describe how the day length changes.



## Maths



This half term, we will be looking at length and height.

We will begin to measure in cm. Then, we will be learning about mass and volume. We will be measuring and comparing mass and volume. After that, we will start learning about multiplication and division. We will count in 2s, 5s and 10s and look at dividing by making equal groups.



## We are Britain

Our topic this half term is 'We are Britain.'

Through this topic, we will be learning about:

- British Values
- The seaside
- The 4 Nations



Please remember to read your books at least 3x weekly. Reading Records are due in on a **Monday**. Spelling tests are on a **Thursday**– use Spelling Shed to help you learn!

PE day is a Friday.

# R.E

Our topic of study for R.E this half term is 'Answers'.

Through this topic, we will be engaging with stories and extracts from different religious literature.

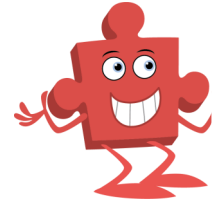


# P.S.H.E

Our topic this half term is: 'Relationships.'

Through this topic, we will be learning about:

- Making friends
- Being a good friend
- People who help us
- Self acknowledgment
- Celebrating special relationships



# Music

This half term we will be learning how to match and create pictures/ symbols to represent sound. Then, we will look at changing sounds to make a musical story.



# Computing

This half term we will be learning about digital writing and using the keyboard to write.



# P.E

This half term's PE focus will be games.



# Key Dates

- ★ Friday 17th April—Danceathon sponsor forms to be handed out
- ★ Wednesday 29th April—Dudley Zoo Trip
- ★ Monday 4th May—Bank holiday
- ★ Friday 22nd May—Danceathon (non uniform—wear colourful clothes)