



Year 1 Newsletter

Dussindale Primary



We hope you had a lovely break and are ready for another exciting term at Dussindale Primary School.



Mrs Bailey, Miss Breen, Mrs Chapman, Miss Goodall,
Miss Middleton and Mrs Smith

We have had a wonderful week catching up with our friends and sharing our holiday news.

To settle back in, we have been re-establishing classroom routines and going over our class charters. We have also been re-capping games that we could play during playtimes and lunchtimes that are safe and appropriate.

This week, has also been marked with an exciting discovery - shooting stars! Mrs Norgate has put Year 1 in charge of caring for these fragile and delicate objects. Her discovery prompted us to explore the book 'How to catch a star' by Oliver Jeffers. We have been having loads of fun learning the story and acting out scenes to explore how the characters might feel.

In maths, we will be exploring all the different ways we can break up and put numbers back together. As well as, the different ways we can show and record this. Finally, we will be exploring the properties of 2D and 3D shape! - what a busy 7 week term we have planned!

This term, in PHSE we will be learning about our bodies and how we can stay clean, healthy and safe.

Reminders

Library day - Thursday

PE day - Caspian - Wednesday

Med - Tuesday

Please remember to read daily at home with your children. This can be via one of their reading books in their bags or other books that you have at home.

From the week beginning 15th November we will be testing the children on the Year 1 spelling words, also known as Tricky Red Words. These words, the children are expected to be able to read by sight and spell correctly as they are used frequently in reading and writing. You will receive a spelling list and information on how we test spelling next week.

If you feel like your child will benefit from some phonics flashcards to practise at home, please let us know and we will make up packs for you.

And a final reminder that our class email addresses are checked once a day (usually in the morning!). Please contact us via email for any important information you would like us to know.:

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