



Year 1 Spring 1 Newsletter

"You're amazing, just the way you are."

Spring Term 1

Welcome back to Broadacre! The children have settled into the new term beautifully and have enjoyed sharing their stories about the Christmas holiday. We have lots of exciting things planned for the term and are looking forward to seeing the progress the children will make.

English

In Year 1, the children will be using 'Beegu' and 'Toy Story' as stimuli for their writing. We will be focusing on the skills of oracy and transcription whilst learning how to write a sentence and use capital letters and full stops effectively. We will also be using the conjunction 'and' to join ideas together as well as learning about noun phrases.

Science

In science lessons, we are going to focus on the different materials and their properties. We will be conducting a variety of investigations into which materials are most suited to different jobs. The children will explore waterproof and non-waterproof materials.

PE

The children will take part in PE lessons during the afternoon sessions. Please make sure children bring their PE kits to school on a Monday and take them home on a Friday to be cleaned. The children should wear plain black, blue or white clothing suitable for indoor and outdoor sessions. For all Year 1 children, PE lessons on a Monday afternoon will be outside.

Maths

In maths, we will be focussing on place value from 1 to 20. We will be using number tracks and a variety of mathematical apparatus to support our learning to explore numbers in different ways.

History

In history, the children will be learning all about Amy Johnson. They will investigate the adventures she went on and how she changed the world.

Events for Parents

On Monday 13th January, we are hosting another coffee morning for Year 1 parents and carers - we really hope you are able to join us from 9am.

On Tuesday 28th January, each class in Year 1 will host an individual class assembly which parents and carers will be invited to. This is another opportunity for children to perform in front of an audience. We hope as many of you as possible will be able to join us.

Class 1 - 9:30am

Class 2 - 10:30am

Class 3 - 1:45pm

Mrs Elliott, Mrs Nolan, Miss O'Kelly, Mrs Rookyard & Miss Vaughan