



Year 1

Term 2 Newsletter

Dear Parent, Carers and children

Firstly, I would like to welcome you to term two, I hope you enjoyed the half term break! The children have settled back into their routine well.

Reading in Year 1

Your child's reading book will be changed on a regular basis.

Mrs Dougall and I will continue to read with your child as much as possible.

Mrs Murray will also be reading with your child each week.

Your child also reads in a group at least twice a week.

Please can you also practise the phonemes at the front of the reading record with your child.

[I cannot stress enough the importance of reading at this stage. Please try and read as often as possible.](#)

This term

We will be learning about the history of food and hopefully doing some cooking. Please let me know if your child has any allergies.

In maths we will be looking at addition, subtraction and place value.

Literacy will be themed with topic.

In science we will be learning about materials and their properties.

Spellings will be included in the weekly homework with the focus being 'tricky' words and phonics.

RE this term will focus on 'Incarnation' and 'Why does Christmas matter to Christians?' We look at the story from the Gospel of Luke, retelling the story of the birth of Jesus.



General reminders

- The class do **PE** on **Tuesdays** and **Thursdays**. Please ensure your child has their PE kit in school and that all items are clearly labelled. Otherwise they miss a lot of fun!
- Your child may bring in a water bottle to keep in class. This can be used throughout the day. Please make sure it is clearly marked with your child's name.
- Homework is given out on a Friday and is due back on the following Thursday

Thank you

Mrs Friend, Mrs Dougall and Mrs Reay