

# Welcome to Year One



# Meet the staff



**Mrs  
Wolstencroft**



**Mrs Bradley**



**Mrs Richards  
(TA)**



**Miss Bower (TA)**



# Daily Routines

## What the mornings will look like:

8.50am - 9.15am: School day begins - Children will come in through Year 1 entrance.

8.50am-9.15am: Morning activity and register

9.15am-10.15am: English or Maths lesson with guided and independent activities (similar to Reception to allow children to settle)

10.15am-10.30am: Playtime

10.30am-11.30am: English or Maths

11.30am-12.30pm: Lunch time

12.30pm-1pm: Daily phonics and Snappy Maths





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## What the afternoons will look like:

During the afternoon sessions children will have opportunity to continue and broaden their learning. They will:-

- Investigate in Science
- Get creative and crafty in Art and DT
- Go travelling around the world in Geography
- Time Travel in History
- Get technical in Computing
- Find out more about different religions and cultures in RE
- Explore sounds and instruments in Music
- Find more out about themselves and their friends in PSHE

# Topics in Year

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**Autumn term 2020 - 999:**  
**Community Superheroes - During**  
the topic we will look at our own  
superhero powers and real life  
superheroes





## Spring term 2021 - Amazing

**Authors:** During this topic we will introduce the children to a selection of different stories, looking at the authors along the way (old and young).

Their love of books will continue to grow and will help them retell traditional tales.

**Summer term 2021 - Stomp and roar!** With this topic the children will become explorers and palaeontologists as they find out about different dinosaurs. They will develop their research skills using non-fiction books and look at where dinosaurs were discovered.

## Phonics:

Your child will be taught as a whole class by their class teacher.

A Phonics Screening Check will take place - this is in the summer term

Your child will receive all the support and encouragement they need for this and **your support will be essential.**

## Spellings:

Spellings, focussing mainly on the common exception words, will be sent home after the first term.

You will be given the spellings, in advance, for the whole half term to enable you to support your child at home.



## Ollie the Owl

We will have a class owl who enjoys hearing about the adventures that your children have at the weekend. Each week we will choose a child who has demonstrated a positive attitude to take a post card home so they can write about what they did on the weekend. The post card will come back on a Monday morning and shared with the class.



## Snack:

Children can bring in their own **healthy** snack from home which is not to be shared with any other child. Fruit will be available in school.

## Reading Books:

Your child will read their book to an adult at least once a week in school although we would appreciate your support in listening to your child read daily. Reading diaries will be checked on a Monday and Friday and if there is evidence that your child has read the book and is able to discuss it, it will be changed.

**We are looking  
forward to a fabulous  
year!**