

Mortimer Primary School

Year 1 Spring Overview

We would like to welcome you all to spring term in Year 1. We have an exciting term planned and a fun-filled curriculum for the children to get their teeth stuck into; they will study a range of topics from programming and algorithms in computing, to childhood through the decades in history.

We hope your children go home inspired and brimming with new knowledge, excited to tell you all about what they have been learning at school.

Class 1RD	Class 1CS	Class 1RF
Mrs Douglas	Mrs Catchpole Mrs Shearer	Miss Folan
Teaching Support Staff		
Miss Dowell	Mrs Shaw	Mrs Coldwell Mrs Bentham

Subject	Focus	Key Knowledge and Skills
English	Reading	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> I can use phonic knowledge to read unfamiliar words. I can read aloud books that are consistent with the sounds I know. I know a wide range of familiar poems, stories and traditional tales.
	Writing	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> I can spell words containing the sounds I know. I can distinguish between different spellings of the same sound. I can write simple sentences as dictated by the teacher.
	Grammar & Spelling	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> I can use a capital letter for names of people, places, days of the week and 'I'. I can join words and sentences using 'and'. I can leave spaces between words.
Maths	Multiplication Number and Place Value Time Chronological order	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> I can count in 2s, 5s and 10s. I can identify and represent numbers using objects and pictures. I know one more and one less than a given number. I can tell the time to the hour. I can understand an analogue clock. I can sequence events in the correct order.
Science	Animals Including Humans	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> I can identify basic parts of the human body. I can link the five senses to body parts. I can identify and name a variety of common animals. I can identify animal diets.

Events, Visits and Visitors

- World Book Day (Thursday 2nd March)
- Please send in a physical photograph of your child as a baby. We will be using these as part of our work on humans in our science topic. Please send photographs in by Friday 24th February. They will be returned soon after.

Year Group Key Information

End of school	PE Day(s)
3:15pm	1RD - Tuesday and Friday 1CS - Wednesday and Thursday 1RF - Monday and Thursday
Reading Books	Library Books
Read Write Inc. books will be sent home at least once per week. Please return reading folders within three school days of receiving a book.	Library books will be changed every Friday. Please return library books each week.

Thank you for your continued support - it is much appreciated.

Please keep up to date via the school website and Facebook pages and ensure we have your most up-to-date mobile numbers and email addresses.

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