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## Welcome to Year 1

Teacher	Class	Teaching Assistant
Miss Hopkins	Yellow Class	Mrs Marzouk
Miss Gamperle	Primrose Class	Mrs Nicki
Miss Evans	Lemon Class	Mrs Coward
Additional staff- Mrs Kaya, Mr Mathenge and Miss Pegna		

### Start and End of the Day:

All children can enter the school building from **08:30** onwards as part of our Soft Start programme. All children must be in school by **08:40** and collected promptly at **15:10**.

To keep the children as safe as possible at the end of the school day, please **do not** walk through or crowd the entrance where your child is waiting to be collected. A staff member will ask for your child's name and class so that your child can be sent to you. We appreciate your patience and understanding.

### P.E

All children will participate in P.E. lessons on a **Monday** and **Wednesday**.

Each child needs to arrive at school wearing a full school P.E. kit. Comprising a school logo T-shirt, black shorts/black tracksuit bottoms and black plimsolls/trainers.

PE lessons will take place outside so please ensure your child is wearing black tracksuit bottoms and a jumper on cold days.

### Reading

P.A.C.T folders and books must be returned to school every **Friday** and will be sent home on a **Monday**. This is so that reading books can be quarantined, then changed and sent home after the weekend. Please complete your child's Reading Record when you read with them at home. Regular reading to an adult or older brother/sister plays an important role in building your child's confidence in reading; it also helps them to access the school's curriculum more easily. Your child will continue with their Reading Record from Reception this year however if you would like to purchase a new Reading Record, it is a cost of **£1** on **ParentPay**. If it is misplaced, you will need to replace it at a cost of £1.

### HOMEWORK/Spellings

As a school, the expectations for homework are as follows:

- Daily reading
- Spelling rules/patterns
- We will be using NumBots (<https://play.numbots.com/#/account/school-login/6660>) to practise our maths skills. Your child's teacher will monitor their progress. Your child will be given a login and password, it is inside their Reading Record.

### **Curriculum Contribution**

In Year 1, we are asking for a contribution of **£3** cash from each child to help towards curriculum materials bought throughout the year. It will enable your child to be immersed in fun, interactive and hands-on educational tasks. Please can you put your child's contribution in a named envelope by **Friday 1st October 2021**.

### **Trips**

If any trips or workshops occur this year, you will receive information about them in good time.

### **Other Information**

**Uniform:** Children must arrive at school wearing the correct school uniform. This includes black shoes or black trainers.

**Jewellery:** For health and safety reasons jewellery is not allowed to be worn in school. **This includes earrings.**

**Toys:** Toys are not allowed to be brought into school unless specifically asked for to help with a topic.

**Items of clothing:** Please make sure these have your child's name clearly marked on them. Please check your child's school jumper regularly for their name, as we frequently have washed out name tags and cannot return the jumpers to their rightful owners.

**Water bottles:** Recent research has shown that children need water to enable them to learn more effectively. To make this possible, we would like to ask that each child in Year 1 has a water bottle. Please provide your child with a clearly labelled sipper bottle, which can be filled with fresh water only and be available to drink from throughout the day.

**Milk:** If you would like your child to have milk each day, please look on the school website for more information.

**Once again, welcome to Year 1.**

**The Year 1 Team**