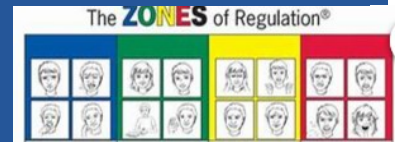




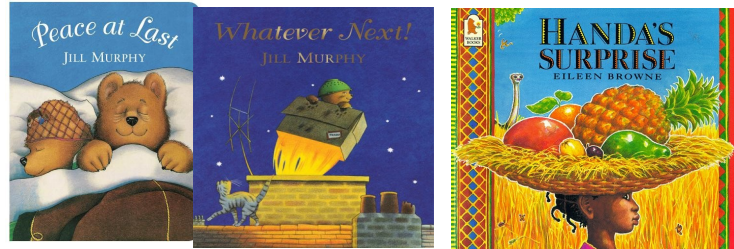
CURRICULUM NEWSLETTER

Autumn Term 1
Year 1
Miss Darke and
Miss Carrick



English In our English lessons we will be focusing on the author Jill Murphy's books, 'Whatever Next t' and 'Peace at Last'. We will then read 'Handa's Surprise' as our focus for a story from another culture.

Children will continue with Little Wandle phonics and their reading scheme .



Mathematics During our maths sessions we will be working on number and place value for the first few weeks and we will then move onto addition and subtraction. We will use a range of resources and models such as Rekenrek, base ten, counters, cubes, ten frames, bead strings and part whole models. Children will also continue to take part in our mastering number again this year to develop key skills such as subitising and problem solving.

Useful Information

Important Dates

Thursday 19th September—
Reading meeting 4:30pm

Tuesday 24th September— School
photographs (individual)

Friday 11th October—SEND cof-
fee morning 9am—10am.

Saturday 12th October – Peppa
Pig Open Day 10.30am-12.30pm

Wednesday 23rd October—
Harvest Festival assemblies. De-
tails to follow.

What can you do to help your child?

Homework is set each week on a Friday. It should be handed in by the following Thursday morning.

As a school we expect children to read at home daily for at least 5 minutes. Please ensure children's reading books and reading records are in school every day. Thank you!

We are in need of recycled materials for our creative / junk modelling area. Please send in any items such as cardboard boxes and bottle tops as and when you have any. Sharing books should be returned on **Mondays**.

PE

Monday and Tuesday are our PE days but please leave the PE kit in school all week encase of other activities. On these days hair must be tied up and earrings taken out.

Clubs:

KS1 Choir - ND (Tuesday
lunchtime)

Tag rugby - WB/Coach
(Wednesday)

Science - CS (Thursday)

Coding club - RB (Thursday)

Careers: We are focusing on jobs that involve retail—relating to our role play 'toy shop' linking to our History topic 'Toys from the past'.

RE

This half term we will be learning about the Christian faith and where Christians worship. We are hoping to visit St. Paul's Church.

History

We are learning about toys and comparing our favourite toys to those from the past.



PSHE

We will be exploring this question: What is the same and what is different about us?



Science

Our work will focus on the Human Body. We will be naming body parts and working on the five senses most humans have.

Computing



Digital Literacy

We will be learning about safe photo sharing, logging onto laptops and making robot mice move.

Art

We are focusing on the work of Pablo Picasso. We will be creating our own self portraits.

