



## Year 1 Summer 2 Newsletter 2023

### Meet the Team



Miss Pedziwiatr



Miss Woodward



Miss Cotton



Ms Maragh



Miss Hudson



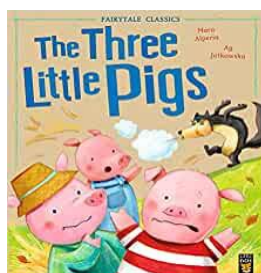
Miss Ahmed



Ms Fryer

### Topic Overview & Key Text

This half-term we will be focussing on our key text 'The Three Little Pigs'. We will be exploring different versions of the text and embedding our understanding of the story. We will also link this text to our Science through the study of seasons.



### Maths

In Mathematics, we will continue to embed our knowledge of number and improve our fluency when counting in 2's, 5's and 10's. We will also further our understanding of place value by partitioning, comparing and ordering different numbers. The children will use our topic text of The Three Little Pigs to also explore positional language and direction.

### Writing

In English we will be working towards writing a story based on our key text 'The Three Little Pigs'. Along the way, we will be building our knowledge of the story structure and learning vocabulary. We will also explore the characters in the text and read alternative versions of this traditional tale. We will be continuing to embed our writing toolkit, focussing on capital letters, punctuation and application of phonics.

### Reading

All of the children in Year 1 will attend daily phonics lessons following the Read Write Inc. phonics programme. Your child will be issued with a new reading book every **week**. Children are expected to read their book at home every day. **Please ensure that your child has their reading book and reading record every day.**



### Homework

We will continue to use the online platform Seesaw to set homework. Your child will receive homework on a **Tuesday**. **Homework** will consist of a short maths, handwriting, phonics and religion tasks linked to objectives that has been taught that week. **Additionally, your child should read their reading book every day too.**

### Year 1

We will be continuing with our thematic curriculum that creates meaningful links between the children's learning in English, science, humanities and creative arts with our key text as the main driver.

**Science:** This term the children will be looking at seasonal change in greater depth.

**Design Technology:** The children will be researching, designing, making and evaluating their own porridge.

**History:** The children will be exploring the historical event of The Great Fire of London.

**PSHE:** Year 1 will be completing the Relationships and Health Education unit of work.

**RE:** The children will ask the question 'What does it mean to belong to a faith community?'



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### Year 1 Routines

<b>Mondays</b>	<b>Tuesdays</b>	<b>Wednesdays</b>	<b>Thursdays</b>	<b>Fridays</b>
	<b>PE</b> Please bring correct kit: Black shorts or jogging bottoms. St Johns white t shirt. Trainers or pumps.  <b>Homework</b> uploaded onto Seesaw.			

### Dates for the Diary

School opens for all pupils on **Monday 5<sup>th</sup> June 2023**. Gates will be open from 8:40am.

School closes for the end of half term on **Thursday 20<sup>th</sup> July 2023** and reopens on **Tuesday 5<sup>th</sup> September 2023**.