

# Newsletter

## Year 1 - TERM 1



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## Welcome to Year 1

We hope you are well and looking forward to spending year 1 with us. We have lots of exciting opportunities planned for this year and we cannot wait to get started.

### Staffing

Within the year 1 team, we will be working closely with each other, and the children may spend time within both classes, especially at the beginning of the year during our continuous provision opportunities.

Your teachers this year are:

**Buttercups:** Class teacher – Mrs Harvey  
Class TA – Mrs Hobbs

**Daisies:** Class Teacher – Mrs Davies  
Class TA – Miss Jeffery

### Reading books



Reading and contact books will be provided for the children and they should bring these to school every day. These will be changed by staff members to ensure that the books are appropriate for your child's reading ability.

### English

This term in English we will be writing sentences independently and developing our use of full stops and capital letters. Our writing will be based on a book called Stardust.

### Maths

This term in Maths we will be looking at place value. We will develop our knowledge of numbers up to 10 and writing these numbers.

### Trips and activities

This year we are planning to arrange a number of trips and activities to support our teaching of topics across the curriculum. We are hoping to visit The Guildhall Museum in Rochester to find out about Kings and Queens and Leeds Castle to learn about local plants and trees. Please look out for more details about these on MYCAS.



### PE Days

This term we will be looking at fitness and object control (throwing and catching a ball). Please ensure that children come prepared for the lessons in the appropriate uniform.

Our PE days are

**Buttercups:** Thursday/Friday

**Daisies:** Wednesday/Friday