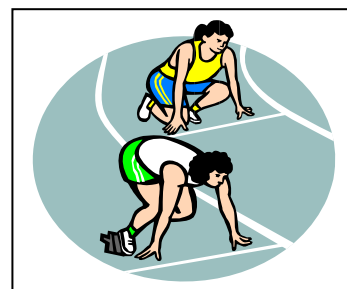


Year One Newsletter

June 2017

Dates for your diary!

30th June Seaside Workshop
30th June Reports sent home
5th July Year 1 Sports Day 9.00 am
12th July Parents' Evening 3.30 - 6.00 pm
14th July Children will bring their work home
21st July Term ends



Advance NoticeNorthfield By The Sea Workshop.

We would like to invite you to our Summer Term Workshop. Parents and carers of children in all three classes are invited on Friday 30th June between 9.00 am and 11.00 am. Full details will follow soon. Beachwear optional!!



Could we respectfully remind parents not to bring pre-school children as this is a chance to spend quality time with your Year One child. Thank you.

The Summer Term Curriculum.

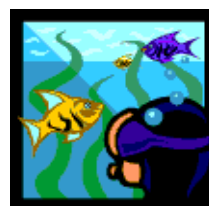
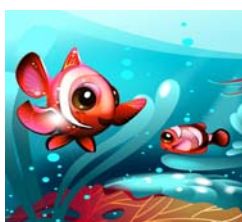
Our learning focus for this half-term is "Beside The Sea". In **English**, we will be spending 3 weeks on "Finding Nemo", before moving onto the story "Billy's Bucket". This half term we will be learning to write character descriptions, postcards and a recount of the story. Then we will move onto the poem "The Magic Box" and the children will be creating a poem of their own. Our final activities of the year will be inspired by "Pirate texts".

In **Mathematics** we will be developing our addition and subtraction skills, revisiting pattern and sequence, arrays doubling and halving and ordinal numbers and carrying out number investigations and problem solving.

In **Science**, we will complete our study on Seasonal Change by looking at Summer weather and using the outdoor environment to go on our final observational walk. Then we will we will learn about how we can care for our environment using the books "My Friend Whale" and "Dinosaurs And All That Rubbish".

The children will be using the iPads to take photographs and they will be developing their programming skills in **Computing**. In **Geography** we will be learning about holiday weather and in **History** our focus will be holidays in the past. In **Music**, the focus is pulse and rhythm and we will be learning to tap or clap a rhythm and find instruments to represent seaside sounds and activities.

PE will continue with Hannah on Tuesday afternoons and Athletics on Thursday mornings with Chris. In **Art & Design** and **DT** we will be busy making an underwater diorama to link with our work about Finding Nemo. In the last newsletter we sent advance notice that the children will need a **named shoebox**. We are now ready to receive these in school so that we can start creating! (Spare boxes very welcome!)



This is the final newsletter of the year, so thank you for supporting us in all our endeavours!