

Year 1 Curriculum News



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**Welcome back
Year 1!
We are a Rights
Respecting
School**



Home Learning

Please continue to read at home. It really makes a huge difference to your child's learning. Also, finding opportunities to practice counting in 2s, 10s and beyond 20.

Reminders

Please make sure all items of uniform and PE kit are **clearly named**. All children must have **fruit** or **vegetables** for snack, and a named water bottle.

Key Dates

Parents evenings week of 23rd February 2026
Half term – 16th – 20th February 2026
1N Library trip – Tuesday 10th March 2026
1F assembly – Friday 13th March 2026
1F Library trip – Friday 20th March 2026

Literacy



We will be focusing on two texts this half term – Our first text “The Hundred Decker Bus” led us around school on a scavenger hunt, hunting for photos of Jersey landmarks. Our imaginary bus trip will now be the focus for our writing, discussing where we visited using ‘first’, ‘then or next’ and ‘finally’. The following text will be “Are you the Pirate Captain?”, where we will focus on list writing. We will be having a **pirate day on Friday 13th February 2026**, where the children come to school in their best pirate outfit!

We will also be encouraging children to develop their reading skills through daily phonics sessions using the Read Write Inc. programme. Please ensure your child brings their phonics folder to school everyday.

Maths

In Math's, we are continuing our learning about numbers to 20. It is vital your child is able to recognise these numbers and it's a huge bonus if they can spell them too! The children are learning the value of a number for example $14 = 1 \text{ ten and } 4 \text{ ones}$, $19 = 1 \text{ ten and } 9 \text{ ones}$.

History

In History we are focussing on transport from the past and present. We will be learning about the similarities and differences and learning lots about the Wright Brothers who invented the airplane.

PE days

1F – Wednesday and Friday
1N – Thursday and Friday

If you have any questions or concerns, do not hesitate to contact us.

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