

Year 1

Welcome Meeting



Year 1 Staff

Teachers:

Miss Moore (Year Leader) and Miss Hayers

Teaching and learning Assistants:

Mrs Rowe, Mrs Hunt, Mrs Clayton, Mrs Mirza and Mrs Croker

Reading Teacher

Miss Snowden

SENDCO

Ms Mohammed

Year 1 Classes

The two Year 1 classes are:

- **1Donaldson- Miss Moore**
- **1Jeffers- Mrs Hayers**

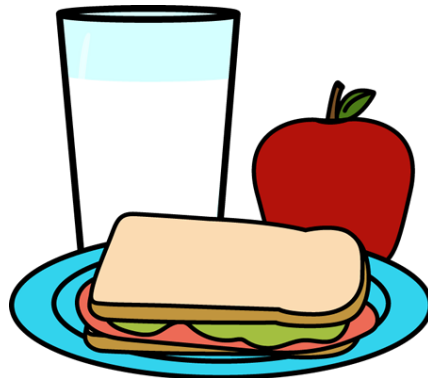
Lunch

Please order at home if possible.

The staff cannot change a preordered lunch.

Please check that your child likes the option.

Do not order Orange. It is for KS2.



Timings

Start of school day: **8:30-8:45 am**

Lunchtime: **12:20 pm-1:20pm**

End of the school day for Year 1: **3:15pm**

Please ensure that your child arrives punctually for school.

Any absences should be via studybugs

PE

Year 1 PE – Tuesday and Thursday

Please make sure your child has the correct PE uniform:

- Black shorts, skirt, leggings
- White T-shirt
- Trainers
- Black tracksuit in cold weather
- No jewellery
- **All items must be named**

Autumn Term

- The seasons
- Seasonal changes and Materials
- Hinduism and Christianity

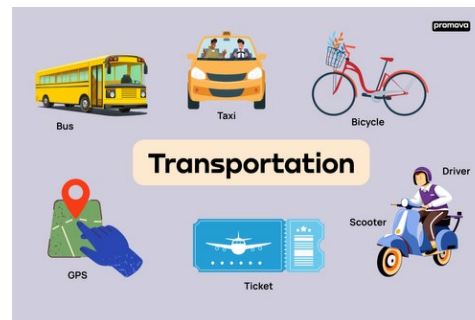
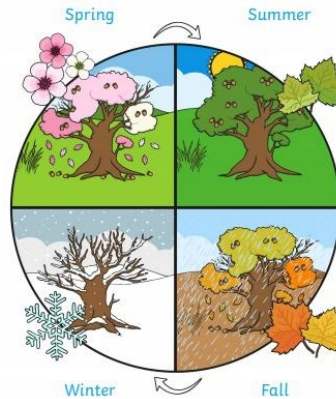
Spring Term

- Where in the world?
- Animals and their classification
- Famous explorers

Summer Term

- Travelling through time
- History of transport
- Judaism
- Classification of plants

Order of Seasons



English

Core texts

Out and About by Shirley Hughes

Tree by Britta Teckentrup

The Best Diwali Ever by Sonali Shah

Jesus' Christmas Party by Nicholas Allan

This term we will focus on developing independent writing skills.

These will include:

- Using known sounds to write words
- Learning to spell some common words e.g. the, go, he, she
- Understanding words / spaces
- Introducing full stops and capital letters when ready
- Using describing words
- Using and / because
- Reading their own writing and talking about it with an adult

Maths

Learning will focus on ensuring all children are confident with the

Reception curriculum for Number and Shape before moving on to the National Curriculum.

This will include:

- Counting and ordering numbers to 20 (forwards and backwards)
- Identifying one more / one less than any number
- Adding and subtracting single digit numbers
- Number bonds to 10 and counting in 10s
- Properties of 2D and 3D shapes

Science

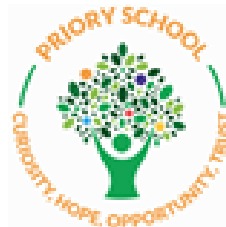
Seasonal Change—Autumn changes in nature, growth and weather.

Identify and name everyday

materials e.g. wood, glass, metal, plastic, water, rock

Identify and name some evergreen and deciduous trees

Carry out simple tests, measurements and experiments.



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Music

Singing games.

Explore high and low, loud and quiet sounds.

Prepare and perform a musical production.

Geography

Our School.

We will be looking at Priory School and the local area around it. We will create simple maps using map symbols and will identify physical and human features.

Art

Introduction to the formal elements of art, including: line, tone, texture, pattern, shape and colour.

Children will start to use a range of materials in a sketchbook.

DT

Textiles Focus: Weaving with different materials (including recyclables).

RE

- 1 - Does God want Christians to look after the world?
Creation Story— Christianity
- 2—If Jesus was born in my town, what gifts would people bring him? - Christmas—Christianity
- Festival of Diwali

Computing

Technology around us

Using a laptop to write

Using paint tools to create a picture

PSHRE

Happy being me.

Being a responsible member of the class.

PE

Fundamental movement skills—
Agility and static balance

Sports— Football, athletics, rugby

Outside learning

- ▶ Children learn outside every day whatever the weather
- ▶ Please ensure they have the correct clothing
- ▶ Children can leave outdoor shoes/ wellingtons in school
- ▶ Please ensure all clothing /bottles are clearly named

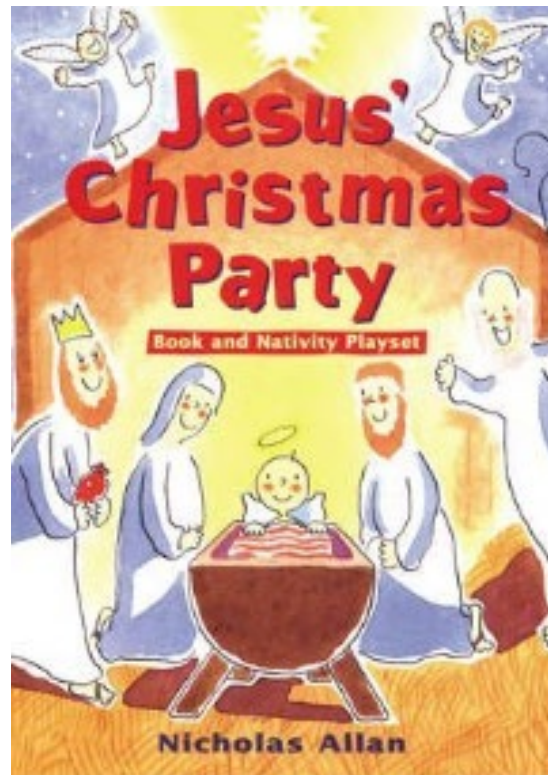
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Other Events ...

Christmas play



Homework

- Homework is reducing
- Read with your child every day if possible
- Practice core math skills.
- Encourage your child to engage in play.
- Have your children actively engages in real life experiences such as going to the shops, telling the time etc..

Reading

- Reading is an integral part of Year 1 curriculum
- Each child should have their book bag that was allocated to them in Reception for reading scheme books and the reading record
- Books will be changed by the class teachers once a week for most children based on the child's progress
- The focus is on enjoyment and understanding
- We follow the Little Wandle Letters and Sounds Revised programme – parent page available

Y1 Phonics Screening

- The phonics screening takes place in June
- It will be administered by the class teachers to children individually
- All children in KS1 and EY have daily phonics lessons

How you can help...?

- Read to your child every day.
- Read from a wide range of genres – fiction, non fiction, comics, poems,
- Practise number bonds to 10 and 20, as well as, counting in 5's, 10's and 2's.
- Talk to them about things that they are interested in
- Read Peek at the Week
- Make sure your child has the correct uniform and **all items are named**

Any problems or questions?

- Please speak to the class teacher or a Year 1 teaching assistant.
- Appointments can be made through the Office
- E-mail the Year 1 staff on Year1@prioryschool.com
- Issues will be passed onto Miss Moore if necessary.



Any more questions?

Thank you for coming!