

# Year 1 Newsletter

Autumn 1  
2026-2027

## Welcome!

Welcome to Year 1!

Starfish class teacher is Mrs Stephenson and  
Stingrays class teacher is Mrs Copage.

Our school Christian Value this half term:  
Friendship and Cooperation.

Our PE day and Forest School day  
is **Wednesday**.

Children wear their PE kit into school on  
this day. Children wear a blue polo shirt and  
navy blue bottoms for PE, with plain white  
or black trainers.

Equipment: Reading folder, school bag (no  
rucksack), water bottle and coat.

Please do not hesitate to contact your  
child's teacher if you have any concerns or  
questions. Please do this via the school  
office email address and it will be  
forwarded to the correct teacher.

## Maths

- Place Value
- Addition and Subtraction within 10



## English

### Writing:

#### **The Snail and the Whale**

- Writing labels and captions.
- Write sentences with a capital letter, full stop and finger spaces.



## Science

### **Seasonal Changes**

To know the four seasons and how they  
are different.



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## Topic

### Subject: Geography

- To know typical events that happen in each season of the UK.

## Music

- Exploring life under the sea and how we can represent our ideas through music.



## RE

- Why do Christians call God creator?



## PE

### PE (Wednesday)

- Sending and receiving.

## Wellbeing

### **Morris the Mankiest Monster**

- To know the importance of personal hygiene
- To know how diseases are spread and can be controlled

## Computing

- To explore technology all around us.
- To use a keyboard.



## Home Learning

Reading: 5 times a week.

Seesaw – Complete weekly Phonics activity (login is in reading record).

Maths: Maths worksheet (sent home in a Maths folder every Monday. Please return completed by the Friday).

Numbots app (login is in reading record)

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## Diary dates

- 14<sup>th</sup> October – School Photos
- 15<sup>th</sup> October- Parents evening (More information to follow)
  - **16<sup>th</sup> October – Break up for half term**