

CLASS NOTICES

Reading - In Year 1 children should aim to read daily. The books will be changed once a week on a Friday. Please take time to read with your child and ask them questions to check their understanding. Please record the date and the book with your name in the 'yellow reading record' book when you have listened to your child read. We are still aiming for children to read at least 10 times a week so that children get the opportunity to have a their turn on the big bounce each Friday.

PE

PE will take place on Tuesday and Wednesday for Lunar and Monday and Wednesday for Shooting Stars.

Problems and Concerns

Please feel free to make an appointment to talk about your child at any time.

Helping in School

If you are interested in helping in school please come and talk to us. We would really appreciate parents / carers support.

Class Curriculum Information



The Hyde

Summer 1




High Expectations = High Outcomes




A place full of opportunities -
making happy memories

Providing Better Outcomes for Children

CORE AREAS OF LEARNING

Literacy 	<p>This term we will be reading a range of poems and stories focused around the theme of chocolate. We will develop our descriptive writing through careful use of adjectives. In phonics we will continue to look at new ways of making sounds already taught. We will continue to develop our handwriting skills and when ready we will begin to use pre-cursive script.</p>
Maths 	<p>This term we will extend the children's mathematical skills and build on what they have been taught during the first two terms. As well as developing the children's knowledge of number and shape we will also measure using different apparatus particularly when measuring ingredients.</p> <p>We will develop our understanding of word problems using the skills already learnt. Our class targets will be focused around finding half and quarters of an amount.</p>
Science	<p>As part of our topic 'chocolate'. We will be exploring chocolate using our senses. We will continue to explore properties of materials and look at solids and liquids. We will carry out simple tests exploring how quickly or slowly chocolate takes to melt or solidify in different conditions.</p>
Computing 	<p>This term we will be using ICT as part of our literacy, numeracy and topic work. We will use images and text to create our own labels for packaging.</p>

ENRICHMENT AREAS OF LEARNING

Topic 	<p>As part of our history topic we will research the history of chocolate. We will explore timelines and place events in chronological order. We will look at the changes that have taken place with regard to chocolate. We will also look at where chocolate comes from to develop our geographical skills.</p> <p>In Summer 2 our topic focus will be 'Seaside rescue'. As part of this topic we intend to visit the seaside.</p>
RE	<p>This half term we will be focussing our learning around 'special people.' We will also be sharing our own experiences of cultures and ways of life. Children will look at a range of cultures and nationalities to further develop knowledge of the world around them.</p>
DT	<p>In Summer 1 we will continue to develop our designing, making and evaluating skills. We will explore a range of packaging and then create our own chocolate boxes to store our homemade chocolate treats. We will also link the theme of chocolate around 'healthy eating' and choices.</p>
PE	<p>This term we will be developing our games and athletic skills in PE. It is important that your child has a PE kit as they will need to get changed every session. It would be useful if all PE kits could remain in school for the duration of the half term. Please ensure all items are clearly labelled.</p>