

Come and See

Special People – Discuss who the special people are in their lives and what makes them special.

Meals – Discuss how you celebrate as a family with special meals.

Change – Discuss reasons why people use the opportunity of Lent to change or make a new start.

English

Author study and stories with patterned language – Julia Donaldson & The Gruffalo - Read a variety of books written by Julia Donaldson and discuss which is their favourite and why.

Recount – Keep a short diary during the half term holiday for your child to discuss in class.

Traditional Tales – The Gingerbread Man – Read a variety of fairy tales and traditional tales.



Year 1 Newsletter

Spring Term 2019

Happy New Year and welcome back to
Year One!

Here is a brief outline of the Spring Term
Curriculum and how you can support
your children at home.

KEY DATES:

Year 1 Panto – Wed 30th Jan – 2pm

Parents' Evening – 13th/14th Feb

Moorside Park Trip – Fri 8th Mar – pm

1P Rejoice Celebration – Tue 2nd Apr

Royal Gingerbread Picnic – Fri 5th Apr

Maths

Number bonds to 20 – Count as many different objects as you can. Combine two groups of objects up to 20.

Multiplication of 2s, 5s and 10s – Count forwards and backwards in 2s, 5s and 10s.

2-digit numbers – Encourage your child to split a 2-digit number into tens and ones, e.g. 23 is 2 tens and 3 ones.

Number Formation to 100 – Help your child to write numbers correctly, in the sand at the beach, painting, drawing, making them out of playdough etc. Encourage them to write 2-digit numbers correctly, thinking about how many tens and ones there are.

Time – Look at a clock, concentrating on o'clock and half past.

Money – Look at the different coins you have. Play shop, adding up items and working out correct change.

Geography

Our Local Area – Discuss features in our local environment and make comparisons to other locations that the children know – Southport beach or Liverpool City Centre. Discuss litter, safe places to cross the road and traffic in our local environment. How can these be dangerous?

Trip to Moorside Park on Friday 8th March. (letters will be sent out to request parent helpers nearer the time)

History

Our Monarchy – Discuss the Royal Family – Do they know the names of any of them?

The children will receive an invitation to a Royal Gingerbread Picnic which will be held on Friday 5th April – The children will be asked to wear their most regal attire for that day in school.

Science

Humans and Animals – Name parts of the body and the senses. Can they find out any interesting facts about the body? Discuss what a life cycle is.

PSHE

Medicines and Drugs – Discuss the use and dangers of medicines and why it is important to always have adult supervision when taking them.

Computing

E-safety – Discuss internet safety with your children and why it is important to have adult supervision when entering details on to the internet.

Together watch Lee and Kim's Adventures playing 'Animal Magic'
https://www.thinkuknow.co.uk/5_7/leeandkim/

Art and Design

Sculpture – Over the February half term break, please try and visit 'Another Place' by Anthony Gormley on Crosby beach, discussing how they think the iron men were sculpted.

The children will be studying this topic and sculpting their own Iron Man (out of clay) after the half term .

P.E.

Dance – Discuss how many different types of dancing they know.

Games – Practise rolling, throwing, catching and striking.

Music

Feeling the pulse and rhythm – Discuss what music they like to listen to and why. Can they clap along in time to it?