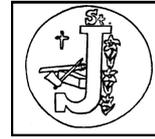




Welcome to Year 1
Mrs Torrance



Spring Term
2022

Croeso I nôl!
Welcome back!

Blwyddyn Newydd Dda

May I take this opportunity to thank you for your cards, gifts and best wishes at the end of last term.

Literacy

Please keep recapping sounds, words, and simple spelling patterns. The 'High Frequency Words' in their HWB file should be practised daily

Numeracy

This half term we will be focusing on their skills of:

- Place value to 100.
- Number facts
- Addition and subtraction of a 2 digit number.
- 3d shapes
- Time
- Beginning to count in 2s, 5s and 10s

Please encourage your child with these to help them develop.

Reading books

In addition to the books sent home, please could you read other books on a daily basis to ensure continuity.

By doing this it helps them develop language and listening skills and prepares them to understand the written word.

Please return reading books :-

Girls- Monday and Wednesday

Boys- Tuesday and Thursday

Cornerstones

Our new topic is '*Bright Lights and Big City*'.

In the Bright Lights, Big City project, your child will take part in a royal garden party and learn about Queen Elizabeth II. They will learn about the countries that make up the United Kingdom, including their location, capital cities and some of their physical and human features. They will have the opportunity to do map work, using compasses and positional and directional language to plan routes around London. They will research the cause and impact of the Great Fire of London and look at some famous London landmarks. They will learn about other capital cities around the world, including Kuala Lumpur, and compare how they are similar and different to London.

Our R.E topic is *Special people*

Please could upload a photograph of their special person to your HWB account.

Remember:

Gym day is on a Thursday.

Children are to come dressed for gym on a Thursday

Please could you ensure **all items** of clothing are clearly labelled.

Homework will start again soon, it will be accessible on a Thursday and completed by a Tuesday.

Please bring reading books in on the correct day that is shown on the folder.

Pupils should bring their own pencils, pencil cases etc.

Please could upload a photograph of their special person to your HWB account.

Homework

Homework will begin again soon and will be shared online. It will be accessible from a Thursday in HWB shared files and will need to be completed by a Tuesday.

If you have forgotten or have trouble accessing your child's HWB account please let me know so I can rectify this.

I am always happy to discuss any queries you may have.

However, given the current restrictions this will be best via telephone or social distanced.

Many Thanks
Mrs Torrance