



SUMMER CURRICULUM NEWSLETTER



Reading & Writing

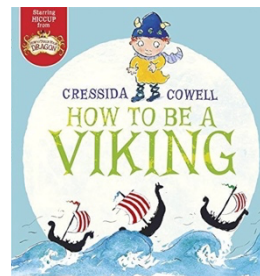
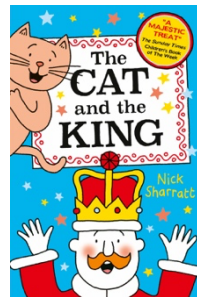
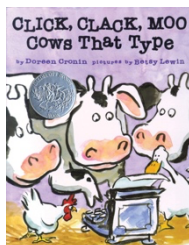
This half term we are reading 'Click, Clack, Moo' and are writing a letter of persuasion based around this story. We are also reading 'How to be a Viking' and will write a story about a Viking adventure.

Year 1 will continue to have daily phonics lessons and three reading practice sessions per week. Year 2 are reading short stories and taking part in treasure hunts to develop their comprehension skills.

Reading at home

Please continue to read with your child at home to help them become a fluent reader, earn dojo points and reading stars in school.

We will be reading...



Maths

This term in Maths we are learning about money and fractions. Children will learn the value of coins and notes and how to count them. Children will learn about halves, quarters and thirds.

Important Information

Homework will be sent out on a Thursday and is to be returned on a Tuesday. This will be something to practise at home that we have already worked on in class.

Please bring book bags, along with reading records and books to school every day as we read our books during our afternoon session.

Children accessing accelerated reader need books in school so that they can take part in book quizzes once they have read their book three times.

Please do not allow children to bring toys into school. If children do require focus aids (fidgets) school can supply these.

History

This half term we are learning about Britain's significant monarchs. We will learn about Henry VIII, Queen Elizabeth I, Queen Victoria and Queen Elizabeth II and what they did during their reigns.



Science

In Science, we will learn about plants and trees, how they are different and what they need to grow.



R.E.

This half term we are learning about Buddhism and how Buddhists show their beliefs. We will begin learning about the Dharmachakra (wheel of teaching) and move onto why shrines in the home are important to Buddhists.



Numbots/Times Tables Rockstars

I will soon be sending out Times Tables Rockstar log ins. Please allow your child to practice their 2, 5 and 10 times tables at home on their tablet or computer.



Phonics

Children in Year 1 will have their Phonics Screening Check week beginning 8th June. Please keep reading with your child at home and practicing with the past phonics screen materials provided at the phonics meeting.

Thank you so much for your support with this.

Design and Technology

We will design and create a finger puppet! First, we will research finger puppets already available, investigate how they work and what materials are used to make them. We will design our own puppet and make it.

