



Summer Term Year 1

English

This term, we will be exploring instruction writing linked to the story *Mr Wolf's Pancakes*. This will help develop our ability to sequence ideas clearly, use simple and precise language, and build early writing skills by using imperative verbs and organising steps logically.



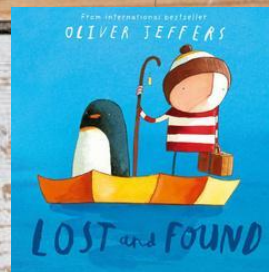
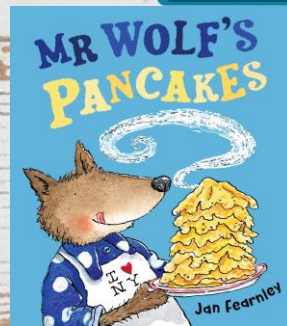
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Phonics Screening Check

The check will be administered during the week beginning **Monday 8th June**.



We are reading...



Homework and spelling tasks will continue as they were last term; however, there will now be a weekly spelling test every Friday. The Bill Quay words for Summer 1 have already been sent home. Please practise both reading and spelling of these words.

Maths

We will continue to develop our knowledge and understanding of place value and addition and subtraction throughout the term. We will develop our knowledge of measuring length, mass and volume and learn to recognise and understand the value of coins to 10p. We will continue to work on telling the time to o'clock and half past the hour.



Science

We are learning all about plants this term. We will learn to identify the parts of a plant, name some common garden and wild plants and plant our own seeds. We will also learn about the differences between deciduous and evergreen trees.

Art and D&T

In our art unit we will create simple 3D shapes using everyday materials and explore the work of Louise Bourgeois. For D&T we will be working on freestanding structures

Humanities

Our topic this term is "Hot and Cold." We will study the Great Fire of London and the Gateshead fire, compare hot and cold places around the world, locate Gateshead on a map, and compare its weather with India.

PE

PE days for the first half-term are **Wednesdays** and **Fridays**. We will be following the Commando Joe's programme with a NUFC foundation coach and developing our understanding of the positive impacts of exercise and a healthy lifestyle on overall health in our 'Fitness' unit.



Computing



We will be continuing to develop our computing skills this term, finishing off our grouping data unit. We will be refining our typing and mouse skills in digital writing and revisit our programming skills in programming animation.

PSHE

We will be looking at people who make us feel safe and how to look after other and our planet.



RE

We are learning about Judaism this term and will explore the significance of Shabbat, Rosh Hashanah and Yom Kippur to Jewish people.

