

Year One News

Friday 26th April



Phonics

In phonics this week we have recapped the sounds: a-e, e-e, i-e, o-e, u-e and looked at the other spellings that we already know for these sounds too.

Please see separate Supersonic Phonics newsletter for more information.



English

This week, we wrote character descriptions of ourselves as superheroes to send to the superhero Super Su in the hope that she will let us become part of her Super Crew! We used words within our writing with the suffixes 'er' and 'ing,' e.g. I am a super fast **sprinter** and I am very hard **working**. We also included adjectives and the word 'and' in our sentences.

Computing

In computing this half term we are focusing on digital writing. Over the past 2 weeks we have started to look at using the keyboard to type words and to edit text by using the space bar, caps lock and delete keys. The children have been having great fun using the laptops to do this!



Maths

This week in maths we continued working on place value to 50. We looked at partitioning numbers into tens and ones and then creating and estimating on number lines. We finished off the week by recapping on finding 1 more and 1 less than numbers.

Don't forget to keep practising the different topics on your 1 Minute Maths app.

History

This week we looked at why Florence Nightingale is so significant and the changes that she made to hospitals and the nursing profession. The children were really interested to find out what hospitals were like in Scutari before Florence came along and what she and her team of nurses did to improve them.



RE

In RE this half term we are exploring the theme of 'Golden Rules.' So far we have looked at the importance of The 10 Commandments in Christianity and Judaism and how Muslims are guided by the 5 Pillars of Islam.

Dates for your diary

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2nd May – Year 2 bake sale after school

6th May – Bank holiday

24th May – Bewilderwood trip

24th May – Last day of school

3rd June – Back to school

28th June (4:30 – 7) – FOSSA BBQ