



Year One Dolphins News



Autumn Term 2022

Welcome Back

We hope you all had a wonderful summer and are ready to start a new year at school.

Harvest Festival

We will be celebrating Harvest Festival very soon. More details to follow.

Coming Soon!

Class showcases will be returning soon!

OTHER MATTERS

All the children in Year 1 need a book bag. These can be purchased from the office.

We all need to 'drink to think' and if your child has a named water bottle in class they can have a drink whenever they need to in the day. It is disruptive to their learning if they have to go outside to their lunch boxes during a lesson.

If you have any free time, we would be very grateful if you would come into school to read with your child and some others from the class. Parents usually read first thing in the morning for about 15 minutes. Please let your class teacher know if you can do this asap.

Curriculum News

Please find information about what your child will be learning on the curriculum pages of our website.

<https://www.stnicolasmary.w-sussex.sch.uk/page/?title=Curriculum&pid=35>

Home Learning

Reading with your child as often as possible is crucial for their confidence and progress.

If your child is too tired to read in the evenings, why not try in the mornings?

After Christmas, other home learning will include spellings, literacy, and maths. Topic or science related activities will also be sent home from time to time.

Wish list

We are always on the lookout for resources to support our topics. Our topics this year will be:

- There's no place like home
- On the move
- Knights and Castles

If you have any unwanted toys (large/small), figures, items for role play, information books, etc at home that may help us with these topics we would really appreciate any donations.

PE Kit

Please remember that your child needs to have his or her PE kit in school.

Please ensure all PE kit is named clearly.

Making Appointments

If you need to see your child's class teacher for any reason, please feel free to email the school office to arrange this.

Independence

Now the children have settled back into the routines of school please promote their independence and encourage them to gradually take greater responsibility for organising themselves into and out of school.

Resilience

As a school, we encourage children to undress and dress themselves for P.E. Please encourage your child to do this at home so that they are able to dress/undress with ease at school.

