

Year 1 - Summer Term!



I hope that you have all had a lovely Easter and that the children are raring to go for their final term in Year One – doesn't time fly! The first week back has been an exciting one as it was 'Be Safe' week.

'Oh I do like to be beside the seaside...'

This term our context for learning is going to be 'What are the treasures of this amazing island?' We will be exploring our amazing coastlines and beaches. As part of 'Be Safe' week we have been learning about how to keep safe near water, especially at the beach. This will lead us into investigating the life of Grace Darling and how she became a heroine. We will also consider what it is like to be at the seaside in other countries and we will compare different seaside towns in Great Britain. We will be looking at how artists such as Monet painted water.

We hope you will be able to join us later in the term for our class assembly, when we will be showcasing our learning.

Literacy

Much of our literacy work will be linked to our Context for Learning. We have begun with making a non-fiction book to advise others on how to stay safe in the sun and near water. As we learn about the heroic actions of Grace Darling we will be recounting her experiences – as Year One take on the role of news reporters I am sure that they will keep you updated with the unfolding events! We will be enjoying lots of stories linked to the sea.

Maths

This term we will be learning to measure weight and capacity, recognise and name shapes and solve missing number problems. Alongside this, we are continuously building on number and calculation skills.

Science

Year One will be developing their green fingers and investigating how plants grow. They will be learning how to identify common plants and trees.

If you have any questions about our curriculum or activities please feel free to come in and see me.

Many thanks

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