

Happy New Year! We're hitting the ground running this term and will be learning about lots of different things! As always, I can be contacted on the class email if you have any questions. 😊

We will continue to do PE on Tuesdays and Wednesdays. On a Tuesday, with Class 1 Year 1 children also, we will be focusing on developing our ball techniques before moving onto net and wall games. On a Wednesday we will learn different playground games and dance.

In History this half term we will be investigating 'Who from the past has had an impact on how we live today?', with our focus being on monarchs.

After February half term we will be moving onto Geography. In Geography we will be learning about Mexico. We will compare and contrast Mexico and its cities and landscapes to places closer to home.

In R.E., during the first half term we will be learning about what makes places sacred.

In the second half term we will move onto how and why we celebrate special and sacred times.

Our IT lessons will again be using the Chrome Books. We will use them to help us develop our word processing skills. We will also look at algorithms and debugging.



Spring Term in Rainforest Class



Our PSHCE lessons will start with Families and Relationships. We will then move onto Citizenship and the different roles people play in our community.

Music this term will focus on The Sorcerer's Apprentice by Dukas. We will be listening carefully and learning about the instruments used. After half term we will move onto graphic scores and simple notations

We will start this half term with Art, focusing on portraits. We will look at portraits created by different artists and have a go at creating our own. After half term we will move onto DT where we will be investigating mechanisms - creating our own moving vehicles. Please keep and send into school any cardboard boxes, but no bigger than a cereal box please.

In Science we are starting the term looking at Materials. We will be doing lots of investigating. Later in the term we will move onto Animals and their Habitats.

In English this term we will be looking at lots of different pieces of writing. These might include adventure stories, non-chronological reports and creative poetry. We will also keep working on sentence punctuation and ensuring we write in proper sentences.