

Year 1 Term 1 Newsletter

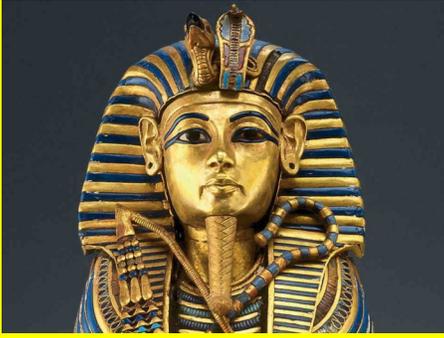
Welcome to the first term of year one! We hope you have had a fantastic summer holidays and that your children have come back with lots of enthusiasm for the new term. This year the year one team will include: Mrs Sinfield, Mrs Russell, Miss Wallis and Mr Sadler

MORNINGS: Please can you drop your children at the Key Stage One doors. There will be a teacher there to greet the children who can then walk into class and get on with their morning work. The teacher on the door will also be able to pass on any messages you may have for the class teacher.

The start of the year often means new school uniform- please make sure every item that your child is bringing into school is clearly labelled with their name. Anything that has a name that is clearly visible is returned to the correct classroom as soon as it is found.

The same rule applies to water bottles and lunch boxes as many children have the same





This term we will be learning all about Ancient Egypt, a topic that is always very exciting for the children. We will be focusing on the people of ancient Egypt and comparing them and how they lived with ourselves in modern day England.



Homework will be sent out on a termly basis and can be brought in to school when pieces have been completed, more on this to follow.

In year one we will also be sending home spellings weekly, please can you spend some time with your child learning these when you complete your daily reading.

This year PE will take place on Monday and Wednesday your child needs to have a full P.E. kit of white T-shirt, black shorts and suitable shoes such as plimsolls or trainers.



Please make sure you are reading every night with your child. This will really help them to make a good level of progress in the class. Children will be able to collect raffle tickets each time they read which can be exchanged for prizes.

In June all of the children in year one will take part in a phonics screening test. There is a big focus on phonics during the year and we will keep you updated on how your child is getting on and how you can help.