



YEAR 1- INFORMATION SHEET FOR PARENTS / CARERS



SPRING TERM 2026

Class Teacher: Mrs. S Poole

Learning Support Assistant: Miss J. Vivet and Mrs D Coulthard



Weekly Reminder



| Monday | Tuesday | Wednesday | Thursday | Friday |
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| PE | | PE | | Show and Tell- children are welcome to bring an item to school to discuss with the class. This is not compulsory. |

Our work this term will include...

Mathematics & Numeracy – Number recognition and counting to 100 and beyond.

Place Value to 20/50. Number lines – estimating numbers and counting forwards and backwards. Number Bonds to 10. Fact Families. Addition and subtraction to and 20. Doubles and near doubles. Carroll Diagrams, dinosaur statistics and position and direction.

Languages, Literacy & Communication – Rhyming words. Write simple sentences using emergent writing, putting a full stop at the end of a sentence. Nouns, adjectives and similes. Writing simple captions and lists. Re telling stories. Writing labels to drawings and creating posters. Writing instructions. Fact Files. Letter formation, emphasis on correct formation and orientation lower case and capitals. Begin to spell a wide range of key words consistently and correctly. Welsh – colours, toys and my family.

Humanities –dinosaurs, fossils and palaeontologists, learning about fossil hunter Mary Anning, history of dinosaurs, dinosaurs found in locality.

Health & Wellbeing – P.E. -Gymnastics and dance. Evaluating their own and other children’s performances. Ball skills and skipping. Jigsaw.

Science & Technology – Coding, J2 Data on Hwb. Design and make a volcano, Creating dinosaurs from Junk Modelling, making dinosaur eggs, sorting and investigating fossils, dinosaur teeth, the importance of looking after our teeth.

Expressive Arts – Dinosaur skin patterns and colours, drawing dinosaurs, creating Vegesaur! Dinosaur dances and percussion.

RVE -- Special Places In our community, in nature. Focus on religious stories that mention special places.

Our school values this term are Perseverance and Forgiveness and our Action for Happiness Keys are Direction & Resilience

Our Class Topic : Dinosaur Planet



How you can help your child at home...

Doodle Maths- A weekly assignment added each week linked to what we are learning in school

Doodle Spell - There will be an assignment added each week with a list of words you can practise with your child linked to the phonics we are covering in school.

Reading: Listen to your child read their home reading books as well as lots of stories being read to your child! There is a sticker on your child's home reading diary with the day your child needs to bring their book bag into school.

Practice writing full name.

Access Google Classroom at home and explore the activities/useful websites together with your child.



Things we need this term...

Healthy snack – fruit, vegetables, yoghurt, cheese, crackers, cereal bar etc (no crisps or chocolate please)

Drink with your child's name.

Any clean junk for junk modelling.



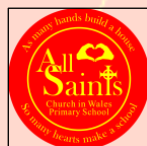
Key dates / events in our year group...

10/2 - Safer Internet Day
16/2 – 20/2 – Half Term Holiday
23/2 – INSET Day – school closed to pupils
24/2 - Start of Spring Term B
27/2 – Wear **RED** for Velindre
5/3 – World Book Day
6/3 - All Saints Eisteddfod
9/3 - 13/3 – STEM Week
12/3 – Landing Afternoon for Families
16/3 & 17/3 - Parent Consultation Evenings
20/3 – **RED** Nose Day.
24/3 – Tempest Class Photos
27/3 – Last Day of Spring Term
30/3 – 10/4 – Easter Holiday
13/4 - Start of Summer Term A

More information on experiences linked to our Inquiry to be confirmed



Be Ready, Be Respectful & Be Responsible



GENERAL INFORMATION

Please remember to inform the school office of any change of address, medication advice, home telephone number, mobile telephone number, or any other emergency contact information.

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For more detailed information please refer to the School Prospectus on our website

<http://www.allsaintspsbarry.co.uk>