

Welcome to Summer 1 in Year 1

Here is a brief summary of what will we be learning this term.

As writers, our Talk for Writing Unit will be The Storm Whale. The children will use the model text as a basis for their own setting tale.

Our grammar and sentence level work will include:
Building compound sentences using **and**, **but** and **so**,
fronted adverbials of time, proper nouns, expanded noun phrase, commas in a list, verbs and adverbs and repetition.

As readers, we will be focusing on comprehension and reading for meaning. We will look at decoding, evidencing, retrieving, interpreting and choosing.

As mathematicians, we will be counting in 2s, 10s and 5s as an introduction to multiplication. We will then be learning about arrays and doubling.
We will also be investigating mass and volume.

As scientists, we will explore common plants that they see in everyday life and be able to name some of them. They will learn about evergreen and deciduous trees and the differences between them. They will learn about different fruits and vegetables, which parts of the plant we eat, and whether they grow underground or above ground.

As Historians, we will be learning about history in our own locality with a focus on Northampton's boot and shoe industry. We will develop an understanding of change over time, and we will be able to discuss how the introduction of modern technology changed the industry and the lives of people across the town. We will be able to discuss how changes over time affected the town's shoe industry and will talk about the legacy of the shoe industry across the town today.

As artists, we will be investigating the skill of sculpture using recyclable materials.

In computing, we will be learning to manipulate the mouse. We will use the computer mouse to create drawings in the style of Mondrian. In e-safety, we will be learning about online relationships and privacy.

In RE, we will continue to find out all about Judaism. We will be exploring Jewish faith, beliefs, traditions and home life.

Please follow this link to view our wider curriculum:
[East Hunsbury Primary School - Our Curriculum](#)

In PE, we will be following our PE Real PE curriculum.

As musicians, the children will be performing songs using voices, movement and instruments to explore changes of pitch following a **water** theme. They will also look at **musical patterns** by developing their understanding of steady beats.



Our PE days are:
Tuesday & Friday