Welcome to KS1 at St Paul's Catholic Primary School



This school is a place of learning, a place of love

Class teachers

Year 1

Mrs Camadoo-Nynan (Wednesday-Friday)
Mrs Gordon (Monday-Tuesday)

Year 2

Ms Allen (Monday-Wednesday)
Mrs Khan (Thursday-Friday Autumn 1)

Teaching assistants

Mrs Cody (Year 1)
Mrs Kennedy (Year 2)

Expectations of the children

- Positive attitude
- Good behaviour
- Resilience
- Independent
- Punctual
- Smart appearance
- Organised
- Become more independent

WHAT WILL HAPPEN IF OUR RULES ARE NOT FOLLOWED?

REFLECTION TIME



Class Date Name What happened? What was I thinking at the What were others thinking at the time? Who has been affected by How can I repair relationships? my behaviour and how? What have I learnt so I will respond differently next time?

Pupil Signature

Behaviour reflection sheet

Morning routine

- Doors open from 8:40-8:45
- An adult will greet the children
- Bags in drawers or on pegs
- Early morning maths or handwriting
- Book changes (On a rota)
- Daily prayers and worship
- Register

Curriculum

- Maths
- English
- Phonics
- Guided reading
- RE
- Geography or History
- Music
- PSHE
- Science
- PE
- Art and DT
- Computing

Expectations maths lessons and books

Books:

- Day of the week and short date written independently.
- One digit per square in books
- Sheets stuck in neatly (independently in year 2)

Lessons:

- Children will experience concrete, pictorial and abstract teaching.
- Modelled examples for them to use to support learning.
- Speaking frames using correct mathematical vocabulary
- Rehearsal time
- Support and challenge where needed.

Reading

Reading is highly important and is an indicator of future success.

We want our children to become fluent and independent readers who enjoy reading for pleasure.

Please try and read as often as possible with your child and record a comment in their home reading record. There will be a Home Reading award given out at the end of each term.

<u>Homework</u>

- Daily reading and signing reading record
- Yr2- Hardcopy maths homework tasks on Wednesdays.(Handed in on Wednesday)
- Yr 2- Hardcopy of spellings will be sent home in book bags once a week-(Test on Wednesday)
- Yr 2 additional homework set, via our weekly newsletter sent on Marvellous Me, curriculum based (eg. Geography/art etc)

Home access

- Letter join
- Timetable rock stars (Year 2) (2x, 5x, 10x)
- Numbots (Year 1)
- Chargana

Topics year 1

- English We will be looking at labels, lists, captions and instructions this term.
- Phonics Learning Level 5 using the new Twinkl Phonics scheme.
- Maths Positional Language Including Ordinal Numbers, Numbers to Ten Finding Patterns in Numbers Counting and Comparison (more, less, fewer), Estimating and Ordering, Regrouping the Whole, Part Whole Addition and Subtraction, Solving Problems Using Part or Whole Unknown
- Science Seasonal Changes
- History- How am I making History?
- Re New RED scheme looking at Creation and Covenant
- PE Fitness and fundamental skills
- Computing Online safety and exploring Purple Mash
- Music (Charanga) Hey You!
- Art Drawing: Make your Mark
- PSHE- Being me in my world (jigsaw) mental health and well-being / worry box, special person.

TOPICS – YEAR 2

- English- We will begin by focusing on capital letters and full stops, finger spaces and question marks. We will use a story called The Frog and the stranger. We will also be looking at up levelling our work adding adjectives, conjunctions and punctuation.
- Phonics Twinkl phonics. We will be starting the year revising year 1 sounds. On week 5 we will move onto year 2 sounds. We will always be rehearsing common exception words and high frequency words.
- Maths numbers to twenty and beyond finding patterns, comparing more, less, fewer, regrouping whole numbers, part whole addition and subtraction, word problems
- Science- Habitats, micro habitats
- History- How was school different in the past?
- Re- belonging Creation and baptism focusing on the story of Noah's Ark (Catholic social teaching principle- THE OPTION FOR THE POOR
- PE Fitness and fundamental skills
- Computing- What is a computer? & online safety
- Music (charanga) <u>hands, feet, heart</u> south African music and freedom songs. Nelson mandela as a famous and influential person in our lifetimes.
- Art pillow making and textiles.
- PSHE- Being me in my world (jigsaw) mental health and well-being / worry box, special person.

Phonics in KS1

- Children will have daily phonics lessons using our Twinkl scheme.
- Children will use vocabulary such a phonemes, diagraphs and tri-graphs.
- Rehearsing and re-calling od sounds daily as well as using them in words and sentences.
- Children will practice segmenting and blending which will support their spelling and reading.
- Correct pronunciation is really important
- In June year 1 children will take part in a phonics screening check. If the children did not pass in year 1 they will be taking the test in year 2

Ways you can help:

- Daily reading
- Identifying sounds within words and putting them into new words and sentences.
- Discussing meaning of words.

Tricky words and common exception words are words that can not be sounded out there need to be sight read. Children in year 2 should be able to read and write common exception words and use these independently in their writing.

| Year 1 | Year 1 and 2 Common Exception Words | | | | | | | |
|--------|-------------------------------------|--------|----------|-----------|---------|-----------|--|--|
| Year 1 | | Year 2 | | | | | | |
| the | they on | e | door | gold | plant | clothes | | |
| α | be on | ce | floor | hold | path | busy | | |
| do | he as | k | poor | told | bath | people | | |
| to | me frie | nd | because | every | hour | water | | |
| today | she sch | ool | find | great | move | again | | |
| of | we pu | ıt | kind | break | prove | half | | |
| said | no pu | sh | mind | steak | improve | money | | |
| says | go pu | ll | behind | pretty | sure | Mr | | |
| are | so fu | ll | child | beautiful | sugar | Mrs | | |
| were | by hou | ıse | children | after | eye | parents | | |
| was | my ou | ır | wild | fast | could | Christmas | | |
| is | here | | climb | last | should | everybody | | |
| his | there | | most | past | would | even | | |
| has | where | | only | father | who | | | |
| I | love | | both | class | whole | | | |
| you | come | | old | grass | any | | | |
| uour | some | twink | cold | pass | many | | | |

| Phase 2 to 5 Tricky Words | | | | | | |
|---------------------------|---------|---------|------------------|--|--|--|
| Phase 2 | Phase 3 | Phase 4 | Phase 5 | | | |
| I | he | said | oh | | | |
| no | she | have | Mrs | | | |
| the | we | like | people | | | |
| to | me | so | their | | | |
| go | be | do | called | | | |
| into | you | some | Mr | | | |
| | are | come | looked | | | |
| | her | little | asked | | | |
| | was | one | could | | | |
| | all | were | | | | |
| | they | there | | | | |
| | my | what | | | | |
| | | when | twinkl | | | |
| | | out | visit twinkl.com | | | |

How you can help.

- Support your child with homework
- Daily reading
- Label ALL clothing, shoes and water bottles
- PE kits to be worn on PE days.
- Practice logging into purple mash
- Year 1 PE days Monday and Wednesday day-September 16th
 Forest school. No Monday or Wednesday PE until after half term.
- Year 2 PE days Tuesday and Wednesday.

PE kit

- Blue shorts or tracksuit bottoms
- Yellow school t-shirt
- Trainers
- No jewellery
- No logos
- PE is an entitlement



Forest school

- The sessions will be on a Tuesday afternoons 1:00-3:00 in place of PE lessons. The
 children will wear non-uniform on this day, please bring a spare set of clothes to change
 into if they get wet or dirty. The order of the sessions will be as followed:
- Autumn 1 year 1
- Autumn 2
- Spring 1
- Spring 2
- Summer 1 year 2
- Summer 2

How you will be kept informed.

- Communication from teacher via marvellous me.
- Parents can email class teacher

year1@stpauls373.herts.sch.uk year2@stpauls373.herts.sch.uk

- Absence is reported via school office
- Accidents are reported using class first aid book- this will be signed by parents at the end of the day.
- Head injuries will be reported immediately via a phone call from the school office.
- Information found on class webpage
- Year 1 class saint is St Anthony
- Year 2 class saint is St Moses
- Mass and all RE updates and information can be found on webpage- Catholic Life of school.
- Policies can be found on school website under Statutory information

Any questions?

Thank you for attending this meeting. Your continued support is greatly appreciated.

This PowerPoint will be available on year 1 and year 2 class webpage.