

Cherry Class Term 1 Newsletter

What's happening this term:

Literacy - In Literacy we will be looking at portal stories based on Jack and the beanstalk followed by a unit on non-chronological reports, supported by our science this term - the seasons.
Maths - In Year 1 we will be looking at place value up to 10, starting to explore addition and subtraction. By the end of this unit, children will need to be secure in recognising amounts and numbers and well as forming digits 0-9 correctly. In Year 2 we will be recapping place value up to 100, including addition and subtraction and will be making a start using TTRS to count in 2s, 5s, 10s and 3s.
RE - The theme for RE this term is the creation story. We will be looking at how Christians show their thanks to God and look after our world.
Science - We will be starting the year looking at seasonal change, exploring the 4 different seasons and how they differ. We will be observing weather patterns by conducting a long term study of rainfall over the year.
Geography - This term we will be looking at maps, thinking about our local area. We will be creating and following maps of our school grounds as well as creating a survey to improve our playground.
DT - This term our topic is structures and we will be making our own windmills. We will be thinking about how to make structures stable and how we can attach parts safely to a design.
PSHE - In PSHE we will be exploring relationships and families. We will be learning about what healthy friendships look like and how we can build these during our transition into a new year.
Music - In Music, we will be looking at sound patterns, singing and thinking about the music.
Computing - We will be looking at mouse control and keyboard use.
PE - PE this term will be tag rugby.

After School Activities

Monday - Slipper club
Tuesday - Slipper club
Wednesday - Slipper club
Thursday - Slipper club
Friday - Slipper club
All clubs need to be pre-booked and paid in advance

Reminders

- Term 1 starts on Tursday 3rd September 2026
- Meet the teacher will be taking place during Week 3 - dates to be sent via SeeSaw.
- Forest school - Tuesday - please bring labelled kit in a bag including long sleeves and long bottoms. Wellies and waterproofs to be labelled too please. No hoodies allowed in Forest School.
- PE - Wednesday - please come to school wearing kits.
- Please label all school uniform and bring a water bottle daily.
- Please read at least 4 times a week at home and comment in their reading record.
- End of Term 1 - Friday 23rd October