



St Mary Abbots School

## Class 1 Curriculum Newsletter – Summer 2

Dear Class 1,

Welcome back! I hope you had a lovely half term and are ready for the final weeks of year 1! We have lots of exciting learning to look forward to, a final forest school session and a very exciting trip to the Fulham Palace Victorian era session!

In English, we will be continuing to look at books relating to our new topic School Days. We are also going to continue to develop our story writing skills that we began to explore last half term.

In Maths, we will be looking at numbers to 100 and reviewing all of the topics which we have covered so far this academic year in maths, ready for year 2!

**Spellings:** Each week 10 spellings will be sent home for the children to learn. We will continue to have our spelling test every Friday. The words sent home are from the Year 1 Spelling list and topic specific vocabulary. Sometimes difficult words will be repeated to ensure they are learnt effectively.

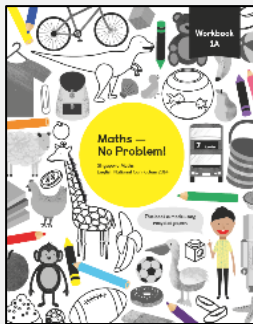
**RSE:** In this unit, children will learn the scientifically accurate names for their private parts (vulva and penis) and why they are called private parts, as part of this topic on privacy and independence in the bathroom.

Best wishes,  
Miss Anderson

### Homework Notice!

Every Monday handwriting, mental maths and spelling homework will be set. Homework is due every Friday. Please remember to bring in your handwriting books every Friday!

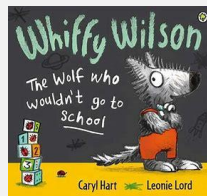
#### Maths



In Maths, this half term we will be learning about:

- Numbers to 100
- Addition and subtraction revision
- Fractions

#### English



In English, we will be continuing to develop our writing through texts linked to our Science and History topics. We will be looking at sentence structure, character and setting description, retelling stories, non-fiction texts, how to use capital letters, exclamation marks, question marks and full stops appropriately.

### Our Curriculum Topics

#### Science

Animal Parts

#### History

School Days

#### Religious Education

Why did Jesus tell stories?

#### Music

Performing basic beats

#### Physical Education

Catching, throwing and striking

#### Art & DT

Chop, Slice & Mash

#### PSHE

Being My Best

#### Computing

Purple Mash

### Important dates and information

#### P.E lessons

Please bring your PE kit in on Monday so it is at school ready for the week ahead.

#### Class assembly

Friday 30<sup>th</sup> June 2023

#### Forest School

Tuesday 6<sup>th</sup> June

#### Trips

Fulham Palace on Wednesday 12<sup>th</sup> July

The Christian value for this half term is:

## Thankfulness