



PE lessons are every **Tuesday (Blue Class)** and **Wednesday (Pink Class)**. Please ensure you have plimsolls or trainers, blue or black plain shorts and a blue or white t-shirt so that you are ready to get fit!

Return your reading folder everyday.

Remember you need a comment from an adult to earn a book point.



Homework is given out half termly and must be returned by the end of term. If you need help, see Miss Ainsley, Mrs Palmer or Mrs Reay.

Make sure you eat breakfast before school. Foods such as cereal, toast, fruit and yogurt will keep you going till lunchtime. Hungry children find it very difficult to learn. Remember you can attend breakfast club for FREE!



Earning Multiplication Awards in Year 1

Bronze	To recall all number bonds to 10.
Silver	To count forward and back in steps of 2, 5 and 10
Gold	To recall doubles of all numbers to 10 and corresponding halves.

Fell Dyke Community Primary School

Curriculum Information



Spring Term 1
Year 1

This term our class theme is.....
Heroes and Villains



Useful Website Links

Phonics Play – Use the free games to practise using letters and sounds.
<http://www.phonicsplay.co.uk/>
 ICT games– useful maths website for practising number bonds to 5 , 10 and 20.
<http://www.ictgames.com/numberFacts.htm>
 Use the links from the web page below to help your child practise counting in step:
<http://www.ictgames.com/counting.htm>



Places to Visit

In Year 1 this half term we will be learning about heroes and villains in traditional tales, completing activities linked to our favourite superheroes and learning about real life heroes from the past such Florence Nightingale.

Why not finding out more about heroes from the past who lived in our local area such as George Stephenson. You could even visit the Stephenson Railway Museum!

How to support your child in English this term

Read and compare a range of traditional and fairy stories.

Encourage your child to join in with repeated parts of the text e.g. *Run, run as fast as you can, you can't catch me I'm the Gingerbread Man.*

Describe the characters using exciting words.

Recount fun events by saying what happened in order. Use words like *first, next, later, then* when describing what happened.

Practise spellings to earn your bee badges.

Things to Practise in Maths this term

Practise counting in steps of, 2, 5 and 10.

Ask your child to order sets of numbers e.g. 8, 10, 17 and 20. Can they explain how they knew what to do?

Practise writing numbers 0-100 in words and numerals.

Try to double numbers to 10 mentally.

Practise halving amounts to 20.

Look at different coins and ask your child their value. Make totals using different coins.

Find pairs of numbers that total 5, 10 and 20.

Other ways to help your child

Help improve their fine motor skills:

- Peg up the washing
- Play tidily winks
- Complete tracing activities
- Thread laces
- Fasten buttons

Practise reading tricky words in books and magazines.

Read traditional tales to your child and ask them to identify the good and bad characters.



Helpful words to read and spell this half term

Creative Curriculum Theme Words			Tricky words				Spelling patterns
hero	villain	traditional	was	are	like	said	Hearing and writing all sounds in words especially those that use vowel sounds such as 'ai', 'ar', 'or', 'oa', 'ow' and 'oi'. Hearing and writing all consonants at the start of a word e.g. cl in clown, sp in sport, st in star.
super	famous	help	you	my	me	when	
nurse	brave	strong	they	said	do	what	
true	kind	helpful	all	have	I	one	

