



Livingstone Road
Primary Federation

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Livingstone Life!

Year 1

Welcome to Autumn 1

Hello and a huge welcome to our lovely new year 1 children and to parents and carers! What a great few days we have had already. We are incredibly proud of how our children have settled into their new classes and year group.

Miss Alton has been in year 1 for one year now, and we are very excited to have the lovely Mrs Robson returning to year 1 full-time. We have been working hard together to create a fun and exciting curriculum.

Who's who in Year 1

Willow - Miss Alton

Hazel - Mrs Robson

Year 1 Support staff - Miss Neal, Miss Cox
and Miss Johnson

RHE/PSHE - We will be looking at keeping positive relationships, what makes us special and understanding our rights and responsibilities in school. As well as, what helps us stay safe, and to know that our actions have consequences.

Anti-bullying week will start on the 11th November. Our theme is 'choose respect and we hope the children will learn to recognise each other's strengths and individuality- this is what makes us all unique!

Our learning this half term!

Maths

This half term, we will be looking at numbers to 10 in a variety of ways;

- Finding patterns
- More and less
- Estimating and ordering
- Counting forwards and backwards
- Solving problems

In Year 1, we love to use Number Blocks to help the children count, recognise numbers



Science - We will be learning about the different trees and flowers in our local environment and observing seasonal changes.

History - We will discuss how we have changed physically since we were a baby and will look at the different activities we can do now, which we couldn't when we were younger.

D&T - We will learn where food comes from, what makes a healthy diet and we will make and evaluate our own Paddington inspired sandwich.



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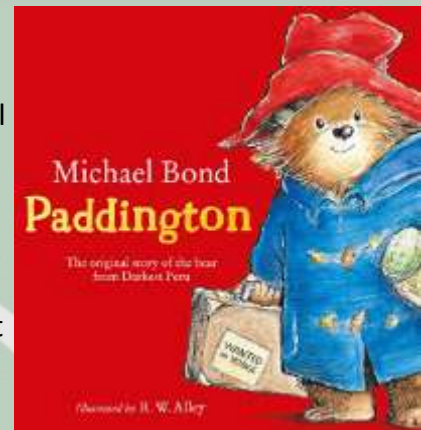
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Class storybook

Our first topic is 'Paddington's Journey' where we will be reading all about his adventures. Children will make predictions about what will be happening next and retell our favourite parts of the story.

We will be also use Paddington as inspiration in our writing lessons. The children will build up to writing a description of Paddington. We will also write postcards home and from Paddington to his Aunt Lucy.



PE - The children will be learning to sequence a range of actions together to create a sequence using choreographic devices. They will also be looking at multi-skills, such as throwing and catching.

Computing - We will be exploring digital literacy this half-term. The children will be learning about the different functions of parts of a computer and how to use technology safely.

RE – The children will be learning all about Judaism. This will include Jewish rituals and key beliefs.

Key information

PE Days **Hazel** - Tuesday and Thursday **Willow** - Tuesday and Thursday

Water bottles - Please make sure that your child is bringing in a named water bottle each day.

Reading folders - Please keep an eye out for your child's reading folders that were sent home at the end of last academic year. Each week, your child will bring home two books: one that they have been reading in class, and another related book bag book. Please remember to bring these in daily so we can read with your children during the week, we love listening to their confidence grow in their reading. We would love it if you could read with your child at least 3 times a week and record this in their reading record by Thursdays. From this, we could be in with a chance of winning the reading cup! If you have any questions or queries about their reading folder and associated books, please do come and speak to your class teacher.

