

KOALAS

Welcome to Reception/Year 1!

We're incredibly excited to welcome you all to the Koalas class! We have a very busy year ahead and we are extremely excited to be sharing it with you!

Our first theme this year will be:
What is it like to be me?

PE will be on Mondays

AUTUMN 1

Maths

In Maths, our year 1 children will be focusing on place value to 10 and then moving onto addition and subtraction within 10 later on in the term. Our EYFS children will spend the first half term in school sorting, matching and organising everyday items and objects. We will practise counting objects, pictures and counting aloud together.

English



In our English lessons we will be exploring the Gingerbread Man. We will sequence the story and begin to retell key events. We will also look at the Colour Monster goes to school and discuss the different emotions in the story linked with our PHSE learning. We will also spent lots of time learning and singing familiar rhymes.

Expressive Arts and Design

We will provide opportunities for the children to draw and make self portraits while also exploring materials and develop their creativity. We will develop skills in evaluating our art work and have lots of fun along the way!

Understanding the World/ History

In our History learning we will be discussing our family history and making comparisons between the past and present.



Phonics

Phonics and reading will be practiced daily. We will be learning new sounds and digraphs and applying these to our learning.

Understanding the World/ Science

This term the children will be learning all about themselves. We will discuss our bodies and how we use our different senses in everyday life. We will be working scientifically and conducting real experiments!

