

# Welcome to the Discoverers Hub!



Thursday 12<sup>th</sup> September 2024

# Aims of today

- Meet the team
- The school day
- General reminders about things your child needs in school
- Home learning
- Current learning
- Contact details
- Future dates
- Time for questions

# Meet the team!

## Year 1:



Ms Massey



Miss Baker



Mrs Bartlett



Mrs Hambly- Smith



Mrs Preston



Mrs Harrison  
LSA



Ms Colligiani  
LSA

# Meet the team!

## Year 2:



Miss Monk



Miss Benfield



Mrs Brunskill



Mrs Cairns (Mon-Weds)



Mrs Rego (Thurs-Fri)



Miss Ormiston  
LSA

# The Discoverers' Rules



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**Be safe**



**Be ready**



**Be respectful**



# The school day

## Start of the Day

- The Year 1 children come into class via the top gate and Year 2 via the gate at the far end of the canopy by the Year 3 & 4 classrooms.
- School staff will open the gates at 8.45am. Please wait for the staff member before leaving your child.
- Parents are requested not to come into the canopy areas or Year 2 cloakroom for safety reasons. If you have a message for your child's teacher, please either inform the staff member on the gate/email the class teacher or let the school office know.
- If your child arrives and the gate is closed (at 8.55am), please take them to the school office. We politely ask that you do not open the gate for the safety of the children.

# The school day

## End of the Day

- All children will be collected from the top playground. Once all of the classes are on the playground, the adults will begin to dismiss.
- Please can parents and carers stay behind the roped off area in front of your child's class area. This helps us to dismiss the children safely and swiftly.
- If you need to speak to a member of staff or need to return to the classroom (e.g. to collect a jumper), please wait for a member of the team to be free to help you.
- If your child is being collected by an alternative adult, please inform your child's class teacher or the office.

# Things the children will need



- Named uniform
- Water bottle (please avoid putting these in book bags to protect the school reading books from water damage!)
- Book bag with monkey books and reading books in – School book bags are preferred please due to limited space.
- PE kit – blue shorts, white t-shirt, trainers or daps (all named)
- Pair of welly boots
- Waterproofs
- Spare pair of pants and socks...just in case!



# PE days

This term until October (this may change for future terms)

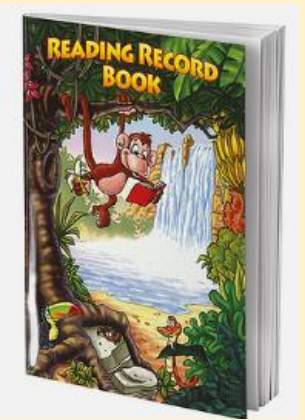
- Year 1 –Indoor PE on Tuesday and Outdoor messy play on Thursday
- Year 2 –Outdoor PE on Wednesday and Indoor PE on Thursday

Please make sure that they have:

- Blue shorts, white t-shirt, trainers or daps (all named)
- Blue tracksuit bottoms and jumper for outdoor PE



# Reading



- The children will change their books on a given day each week. This day will remain the same throughout the year.
- We promote “reading 5 times a week” and will mark in the monkey books when we see this happening. As part of our whole school reading policy the children will be asked to read for 5 minutes during their breaktime/during the day if they have not read 5 times.
- The children have a library slot once a week where they can take out and change books.
- Birthday books.

# Maths Year 1

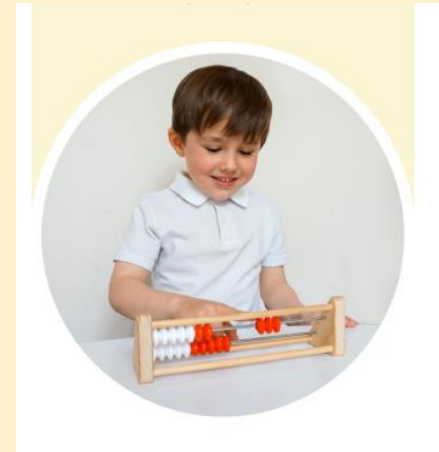
<b>Autumn</b>	<p>Reception Recap and counting within 100 (8 weeks) <i>(Mastering Number, maths afternoon and additional counting sessions)</i></p>			<p>Part whole relationships and comparing (3 weeks)</p>	<p>Numbers 0 –5 (2 weeks)</p>	<p>Consolidation (2 weeks)</p>
<b>Spring</b>	<p>2D and 3D shapes (3 weeks)</p>	<p>Numbers 0 to 10 (3 weeks)</p>		<p>Additive Structure (4 weeks)</p>	<p>Time (2 weeks)</p>	
<b>Summer</b>	<p>Addition and Subtraction within 10 (3 weeks)</p>	<p>Position and Direction (1 week)</p>	<p>Consolidation (1 week)</p>	<p>Numbers 0-20 (4 weeks)</p>	<p>Money (3 weeks)</p>	

# Maths Year 2

<b>Autumn</b>	Numbers to 100 (4 weeks)	Calculations within 20 (3 weeks)	Assessment Week	Adding and Subtracting within 10 (recap) (1 week)	Adding and Subtracting 2 digit numbers (1) (2 weeks)	Time (1 week)	Money (1 week)	Position and Direction	Consolidation
<b>Spring</b>	Introduction to Multiplication (6 weeks)			Introduction to Multiplication (1 week)	Introduction to division (2 weeks)	Adding and Subtracting 2 digit numbers (2) (3 weeks)			
<b>Summer</b>	Shape (2 weeks)	Multiplication and Division (3 weeks)		Measure (2 weeks)	Fractions (2 weeks)	Consolidation			

# Mastering Number

- Aims to develop solid number sense, including fluency and flexibility with number facts, which will have a lasting impact on future learning for all children.
- Teachers deliver a daily session of 10 to 15 minutes in addition to their daily maths lesson. Central to the programme is a small, abacus-like piece of equipment called a rekenrek.



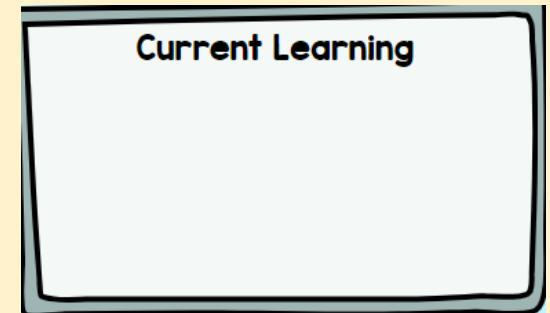
# Home learning



- **In Year 1**, home learning will be set via Seesaw. Each week phonics learning linked to the work in class will be posted on there. We may also send links to songs or videos from class for you to share at home too.
- **In Year 2**, home learning can be found on Seesaw and the school website.
- We no longer do regular 'show and tell' so anything your child would like to share related to our enquiry learning can be shared on Seesaw.
- Please note, Seesaw will not always be checked daily so if you need to communicate an urgent message, please email or contact the office.

# Our current learning: Enquiry

- The children have started their new enquiry: “What is it like to discover somewhere new?”
- It is a shared enquiry between Year 1 and Year 2.
- The website gives termly updates on our learning:
- If you think you have anything at home or do a job that could support us then please let us know. All help is gratefully received and brings the learning alive for the children.



# The year ahead

- Hub sharing week 8
- Harvest
- Christmas performance
- Optional learning meeting- term 4- you will be contacted by your child's teacher if we feel we need an additional check in throughout the year.
- Carol service
- Easter trail
- Local area walks and visits



# Further Hub dates

- Reading workshop (Year 2)- Tuesday 17<sup>th</sup> September at 2.45pm
- Phonics workshop (Year 1)- Thursday 19<sup>th</sup> September at 2.45pm
- Hub sharing- week beginning 14<sup>th</sup> October more details to follow

Thank you for your support. We are all looking forward to the year ahead!

