

Year 1 Weekly Newsletter –Friday 22nd April 2022

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“My best effort makes my best work”



Well done to our Stars of the week

★ Noah Corser ★
★ Buddy Thomas ★

Diary dates and reminders...

- **Monday 2nd May** – May Day. School closed.
- **Thursday 5th May** – School closed. INSET day.
- **Friday 27th May** – Last day before half term.
- **Saturday 25th June** – Summer Fair 10-12.

PE will be held outside on Wednesdays as long as the weather permits. Please can children make sure they have trainers or pumps, a white PE top, navy or black shorts or leggings/joggers. Please can all items of clothing be labelled. We remind children to keep their own clothes in their place while getting changed but things can get mixed up!

Spanish: Days of the week

song <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=C4fREj60Crk>

Our learning

In English this week we have written recounts about our Easter; remembering capital letters, finger spaces and full stops as well as using ‘and’ to add extra ideas.

In Maths we have been learning about fractions. We have learnt that $\frac{1}{2}$ is 1 equal part out of 2 equal parts and $\frac{1}{4}$ is 1 equal part out of 4 equal parts.

Next week we will start ‘Where the Wild Things Are’ in English and telling the time in Maths.

In **geography**, we will begin to explore Australia and locate Alice Springs.

In **science**, we will go on our seasonal nature walk and collect signs of spring.

In **DT**, we will revisit bridges from around the world and begin to find a bridge design we could use in our town!

Home Learning

Next week in Maths we will be telling the time with a focus on o’clock and half past. Please could you practise this with your child at home too and also discuss what time certain things are done in their day eg tea time, bed time, swimming lesson times etc .

Please also continue to practise some real and ‘alien’ words given out at Parents Evening- just a couple at a time. This is just practise for the Phonics Screening in June.

Spellings for next Friday: *where love
come some one*

Many thanks.