

Welcome to Gossops Green: Year 1

**Parent Information -
Autumn 2023**



The Year 1 Team



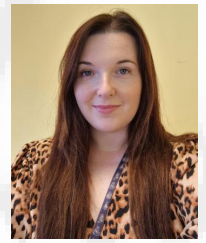
Mrs Jewell
Year 1 Leader
Bluebell Teacher
PSHE Leader



Mrs Khan
Sunflower
Teacher



Miss McNeil
Lavender
Teacher
History Leader



Mrs Williamson
Assistant Principal
Monday = Bluebell class
Wednesday = PPA cover



Mrs Younge
*Teaching
Assistant*



Mrs Fiveash
*Teaching
Assistant*



Mrs Lang
*Teaching
Assistant*



Mrs Martin
*SEND Teaching
Assistant*



Miss Evans
*SEND Teaching
Assistant*



PPA team



Mrs
Dixon
PE



Mrs
Williamson
PE/RE



Mrs
Underwood
Music



The School Day

- 8:30 – gates open
- 8:50 – gates close
- 3:05 – home time
- Please put a note in your child's diary if your child is being collected by someone different e.g. grandparent, older sibling, family friend



Equipment

- Stationery provided by school
(no pencil cases)
- PE kit worn on PE days
- Year 1 PE days are on a
Wednesdays and **Fridays**



Topics

Autumn

Rails, Wheels and Wings!

Spring

Moon Zoom!

Summer

Plant It, Grow It, Eat It!



Home Learning

Reading:

- 5 times a week
- 'Speedy words' will be sent home on Fridays, which children will need to learn to read speedily!

Numbots:

Children to regularly use Numbots to develop basic maths skills that are necessary in KS1.

Children must play at least 10 minutes per week.



Reading

- We expect children to read at least **5 times** a week (ideally every day).
- In the Autumn term, your child will be given one RWI book bag book. These books will be collected in every Thursday and a new book issued on the Friday.
- On 'Choosey Tuesday', children can select a book from the KS1 library to take home and enjoy with an adult.



Home School Diaries/Reading Record

- Please sign them each weekend – the teacher will sign each week.
- There is space to record reading on the right. A brief comment is fine; we check this weekly. Include book title and page numbers
- Easy communication between parent/carer and teacher
- Children can only stick reward stickers on the back page.
- £2 for a replacement



Uniform - tops

- White polo shirt
- Navy blue cardigan or jumper
- Can be plain or with Gosssops Green logo
- No hoodies



Please remember to label all clothing



Uniform - bottoms

- Smart black/ grey trousers (not skin-tight or leggings)
- Skirt/skort (sensible length – not stretchy/tight)



Summer Uniform (optional)

- Smart black/ grey Shorts
- Summer dress



Please remember to label all clothing



Footwear

- Smart black shoes or trainers
- Black ankle boots
- Plain white, black or grey socks



PE



- House coloured t-shirt
 - House-coloured sweatshirt (normal school jumper if you don't have this)
 - Plain black or grey tracksuit bottoms, shorts or leggings
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- Additional layers (tracksuit bottoms/base layers etc) can be used if cold
 - Sensible trainers as PE will be outside where possible



Trips & Visits

- Autumn Disco
- Christmas film night
- Summer trip to a local park



Year 1 Phonics Screening

■ Week beginning **12th June 2023**

- During the Phonics Screening Check, children are asked to read (segment and blend) 40 words.
- Most of these words are real words but some are 'alien words'.
- 'Alien words' are included to ensure that children are using their decoding skills and not just relying on their memory of words they've read before.



**We look forward
to a great year...**

