



Abbey Hey Primary Academy

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Dear Parents/Carers,

Thank you for your continued support over the past year. We are very excited to start a new term of learning. This half term our topic is 'The History of Transport'. On our school website you will find your child's knowledge organiser's which contain key facts, vocabulary, and information about your child's learning in class. You will also find a copy attached to this letter.

Our learning:

- In Reading, our class texts will be a range of fiction and non-fiction texts linked to our topic. We will be focusing on the skills retrieve, sequence, predict and inference.
- In Writing, we will be writing a letter, writing a set of instruction, writing our own story and writing all about our time in Year 1.
- In Maths, the children will continue to look at numbers and use this knowledge to look at multiplication and division. We will also be looking at measurement.
- In Science, the children are learning about Plants. We will be growing our own sunflower and investigating a wide range of flowers and trees.
- In History, the children will be learning about the history of transport and how it has changed over time.
- In R.E. we will be focusing on the question 'How should we care for others and the world, and why does it matter?'
- In P.E. the children will be learning athletic activities as well as bat and ball games.
- In DT, the children will be exploring how to make moving pictures.

Please continue to support your child at home in ensuring that they are reading each day independently and ensure that they also have opportunities to listen to an adult read to them. **Once they have read with an adult please upload a video onto Class Dojo or write a comment in your child's reading record.**

Homework

Each week homework will be uploaded onto our school website. Please log on each week and complete this homework to support your child with their learning at home. If you have any questions about this please do not hesitate to get in touch with your child's class teacher.

You can use the information on their knowledge organisers to test your child's recall of facts and their understanding of the new vocabulary listed.

Phonics Screening

During this term, your child will be taking part in a phonics screening assessment where they will have to read a range of real words and alien words. Please help your child at home to practise these skills. You will find some of these words on the homework sway for you to practise.

Key dates for your diary

Monday 7th June– Term begins
Week Beginning 21st June – Phonics Screening Week
Tuesday 20th July – Children finish school.

If you require any additional information, please contact your child's class teacher who will be happy to assist you.

Thank you for your continued support,

Yours sincerely,
The Year 1 Team