



# Year 1 Newsletter

Copthorne Primary School

June 2018

## Welcome back!

Dear Parents/Carers,

Welcome back we hope you've had a relaxing break. We would like to thank all the parents and carers who ensure their children arrive at school at **8:40** having had breakfast and ready to learn. We would like to take this opportunity to remind you that **1 Ash** children participate in indoor PE on a **Monday** and outdoor PE on a **Wednesday**. **1 Oak** children participate in outdoor PE on a **Wednesday** and indoor PE on a **Thursday**. Please ensure that your child comes to school with the correct PE kit, including a black jacket for outdoor PE. Although the weather is getting warmer, it can still be rather temperamental.

If you have not done so already, please take a moment to check out our Parent Hub for Year 1. Parent Hub is a FREE app that helps you keep up to date with what's going on at school. You'll receive messages, pictures, documents, and newsletters all in one handy place. Our Channel is **YEAR 1**, then enter the code **52440131** to subscribe.



### What will we be doing this half term?

During our English lessons we are learning about fantasy stories to develop our writing skills and performing plays. In Maths lessons we will be developing our understanding about Numbers, Solving Problems, and Measuring. Our Copthorne Curriculum theme this half term is 'In A Land Far Away' which has a large focus on learning about the history of some Explorers and what it is like to live in different parts of the world. In Design Technology we will be learning about healthy meals, the tools we need to cook, and designing our own dips. We will be using our athletic skills in PE lessons to train like Olympic athletes. In Science lessons we are exploring the scientists that made our lives easier and testing out some of their experiments.

### Homework

#### Mathletics/Spellodrome

This will be set every **Friday**. This work will reflect the work children are doing in lessons.

Please complete homework by **Tuesday**.

#### Raving Readers

Please help to support your child by reading at home with them every day. Each time you read with them sign their record book and return the book to school so they can receive a new one.

Word books – Please practice the words at home each week with your child. Please keep these in your child's book bags and return every day.

We are looking forward to the half term ahead with our wonderful children.

If you have any questions please feel free to contact your child's class teacher. Yours faithfully,  
Miss Brochert and  
Miss Swain

