



Headteacher: Mrs S. Derbyshire

Year 1 - Summer Curriculum Newsletter

Welcome back everyone! I hope everyone has had a good rest and enjoyed their break. Please find below some key information about the Summer term and the expectations in Year 1.

Homework

Our expectation at St Pius Catholic Primary School is that every child should do the following every night:

- 15 minutes reading to themselves or an adult (signed in the reading record).

PE Lessons

In the Summer Term until half term, PE is every **Friday**. Children should come to school dressed in appropriate PE clothes. Please also ensure that earrings are taken out as children cannot participate with them in.

Reading Books and Library Books

As reading is such a priority, we aim to ensure children's books are regularly changed and every child will have an opportunity to read daily in class. Books will either be changed once a week or alternatively after being read 5 times in the same week. Please find a list of recommended books [here](#). Our library day is **Tuesday**. Please ensure your child is bringing their library books in on Tuesdays so they can exchange them for a new book.

Key Diary Dates

Summer 1		Summer 2	
First day of term	Tuesday 22nd April	First day of term	Monday 2nd June
Bank holiday	Monday 21st April	Last Day of Term	Friday 18th July
Bank Holiday	Monday 5th May		
Last Day of half term	Friday 23rd May		

Curriculum Information

On the following page, we have included a summary of some of the topics the children will be covering this term, so that you can best support your child with their learning at home.

Kind regards,

Miss Flanagan and Mrs Armstrong

Summer Term		
	1st Half Term	2nd Half Term
English	Non-chronological reports - Mary Seacole and Florence Nightingale Stories with familiar settings - The Way Back Home/Coming to England Pattern and rhyme - seasonal poetry through the poetry basket	Non-chronological reports - David Attenborough Recounts - The Great Kapok Tree Stories with familiar settings - Dear Earth/Here We Are/A Planet Full of Plastic Pattern and rhyme - seasonal poetry through the poetry basket
Maths	Measurement - Mass and Volume Number - Multiplication and Division Number - Fractions	Number - Money Number - Time
RE	Pentecost - serving Reconciliation	Universal Church
International Primary Curriculum	People of the Past	Earth Our Home