

Welcome to
Year 1!

Staff in our class



Miss Aoki

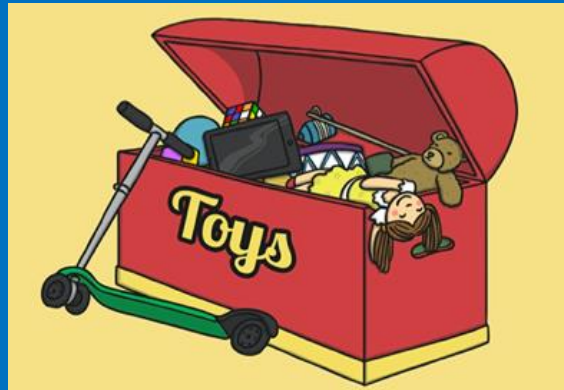


Mrs Dolezar

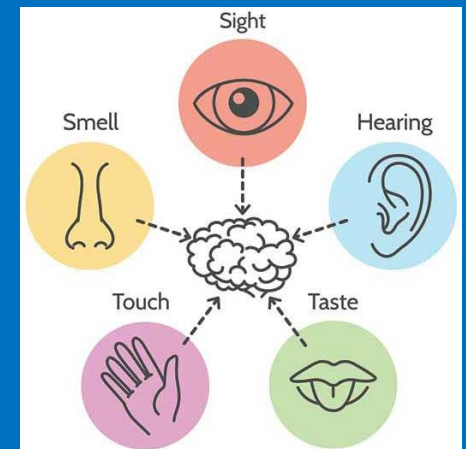
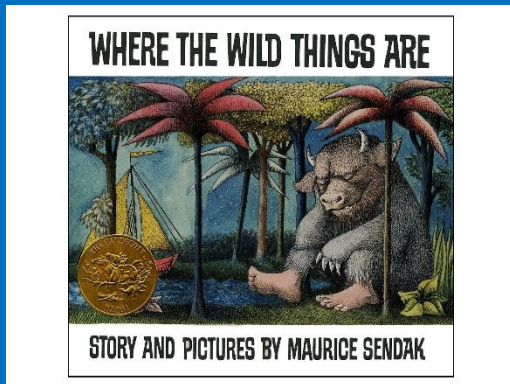


Mrs Bowler

Our history topic is 'Toys'



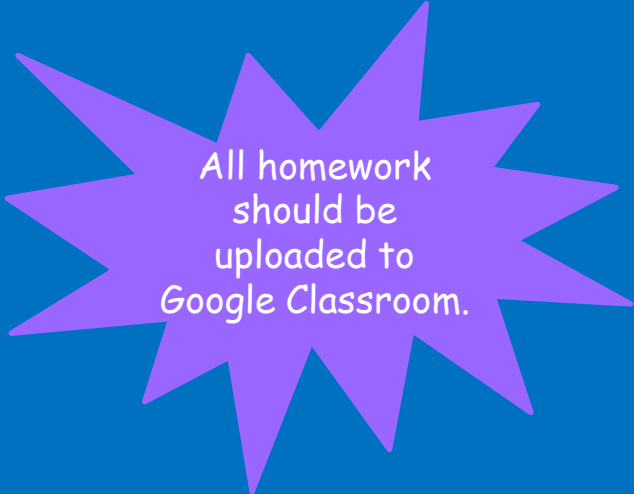
Early on this term we will focus on the children's well-being; settling the children back into school life, spending time with their friends and ensuring they feel safe and secure in school. We will also find out what gaps children have in their learning and address these throughout the year.



Homework

1. Reading for pleasure: Children should read to you or another adult for at least 20 minutes every day at home. Record the date and book your child reads. Every Tuesday, the children will bring home decodable texts based on their phonics learning which should be read at least four times across the week. As well as this, the children can choose to take home a book from the class library every week. Both books should be returned the following Tuesday.

Spellings



All homework
should be
uploaded to
Google Classroom.

General Information

- Attendance at school is once again mandatory.
- Illness - Please ring the office first thing in the morning.
- Check the weekly newsletter that is uploaded onto the school's website and check children's bags daily for any other correspondence e.g. pink slips.
- Medical needs - Please keep the school updated through the year, especially if there have been any changes over the summer.
- Please inform us or the office if someone else is collecting your child.
- Please complete a 'request for leave' form if your child needs any time off school.

Correct School Uniform

RECEPTION TO YEAR 6	
Winter School Uniform	Summer School Uniform
Navy blue skirt/navy blue trousers/navy blue pinafore dress/dark grey trousers	Same as Winter School Uniform
White shirt and Emmanuel school tie	or
or	Navy blue and white gingham dress
White polo shirt with school logo*	or
Long-sleeved navy blue jumper with school logo*	Dark grey tailored shorts
Long-sleeved navy blue cardigan with school logo*	
Socks in white, navy, grey or black	
or	
Tights in white or navy	
Black shoes (<i>no trainers and no boots</i>)	

- ❖ No jewellery except for a watch and stud earrings.
- ❖ No nail varnish



PE Uniform - Tuesdays & Thursday



Children will need to come to school in their PE kits each Tuesday will wear it for the whole day.

PE KITS	
PE Kit	Swimming Kit
Navy shorts/navy jogging bottoms/navy skorts	Swimming trunks/costume (<i>no bikini</i>)
Yellow t-shirt with school logo*	Swimming hat
Plimsolls or lightweight trainers in white or black	Goggles
Fleece with school logo*	Towel
Navy PE bag with school logo*	Bag
Spare pair of socks	

*All school uniform with the Emmanuel School logo can be purchased directly from Mapac. All other items can be purchased from either Mapac or leading department stores.

- No tights for PE!
- Please label all items of uniform, including shoes and coats.

Snacks and Lunchtime

- Healthy snacks for play time - no crisps, chocolate, nuts or sesame seeds. Please be aware of cereal bars that may contain nuts; we have several children in school who are highly allergic.
- Children should bring a water bottle to school.
- Please read our 'Packed Lunch and Food in School Policy', which is on our school website under 'Our School' and 'Policies'



Packed lunches and snacks should not include: (these are all foods we have already asked children not to bring to school).

- Drinks that are high in sugar such as squash or fizzy drinks (including Ribena, Capri Sun and Fruit Shoot).
- Confectionery such as chocolate bars; chocolate-coated biscuits, wafers or rice cakes; sweets and chewing gum.
- Jam or chocolate spread as a sandwich filling.
- All types of crisps or other salted/baked snacks (This includes mini-cheddar snacks)
- Meat/vegetable products that are high in fat and salt, such as sausage rolls, corned beef, individual pies, samosas or sausages/chicolatas.
- Nut or nut products e.g. pesto (although they can be very healthy) because of the danger to other children with allergies.

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- Please label bags, clothing, water bottles, snack boxes.
- History - Children can bring up to 3 toys next week which will be kept at school for the next few weeks.
 1. Their favourite toy
 2. A parent/carer's toy
 3. A grandparent's toy

If there is a concern...

- Children can use the 'Worry Box', 'Circle Time' or 'Let's Talk' with Mrs Watkins. Parents can also contact Mrs Watkins via email: wellbeing@emmanuel.camden.sch.uk
- Parents/Carers- please arrange an appointment to see the class teacher by contacting the school office
- If you are unhappy with how the class teacher has dealt with a matter, please see the Key Stage Leader:
 - Years 1, 2 and 3 - Mrs Dilley
 - Years 4, 5 and 6 - Mr Edwards

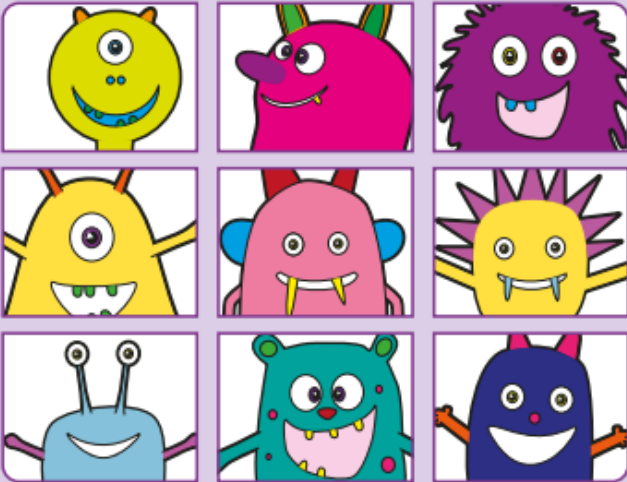
Phonics Screening

2023 national curriculum assessments

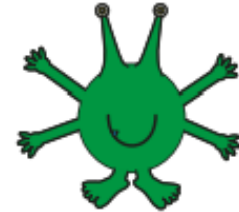
Key stage 1

Phonics screening check

Pupils' materials



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End of year 1 we will be having a phonics screening. Where children have to read real words and alien words.

Regular Giving



- As in other sectors across the country, the current financial landscape is a challenging one for schools and particularly so for a small school like Emmanuel. This leaves us with less money to be able to pay for all the specialist services which we have been historically able to provide at Emmanuel.

How can you help?

1. Volunteer for the PFE
2. Make a monthly donation
3. Make a one-off donation
4. Gift matching

Please do take a copy of the fundraising letter with you today.

Questions?

