Dates for your diary

- Earth Day – Thursday 17th June
- Keeping Healthy Week - wb: 28.6
- Parents Evening – Thursday 8th July
- Hispanic Day – Monday 12th July

PE

Woodpecker Class will have PE every Wednesday this half term.
Swan Class will have PE every Thursday this half term.
Please ensure your child has the correct PE kit in school on their timetabled PE days. It is advised your child keeps their kit in school throughout the week in case of any timetable changes. Children must have a full PE kit (a white t-shirt, green or black shorts/tracksuit bottoms and plimsolls) to ensure personal hygiene and safety.

Homework

Children in Year 1 should spend a set time each day completing homework to ensure good routine. This should include:

- Complete the weekly literacy and numeracy tasks, which will be set on Thursday and should be returned on Monday.
- Reading their home reading book for 15 minutes each evening (please sign the diary to show this has been completed).
- Learn their weekly spellings which will be set on Thursday and tested on the following Friday.
- Access the home learning site Mathletics

Southwold Primary School

Year One Summer Curriculum Newsletter

Dear Parents and Carers,

Welcome back to the start of an exciting new term at Southwold! We hope that everyone had a restful Half Term break.

Should you have any concerns or wish to discuss your child's progress, please feel free to speak to us. We are available to talk after school on most days.

Information about what your child will learn this half term is on the inside of this booklet.

We look forward to working with you and your child.

Best wishes,

Year 1 Team

Our topic this half term is: Summer

Literacy

As writers, we will be exploring narrative focusing on traditional tales. We will be continuing to use a range of adjectives to describe the scene and characters as well as working on sequencing events. We will also have the opportunity to write non-chronological reports using features of this form of writing including creating titles.

Recommended Reads

Hansel and Gretel

Jack and the Beanstalk

Music

As Musicians we will learn simple songs and rhymes with repeated language and beats.

Art and Design Technology

As artists, we will be looking at the work of Georges Seurat, focusing on his Seascapes. We will be creating our own version of his Seascapes using a range of the techniques he used including pointillism.

Mathematics

As mathematicians we will be developing our understanding of the four operations (addition, subtraction, multiplication and division) using a range of resources to help us. We will also be looking at measure with a focus on money as well as weight and volume.

Geography

As geographers, we will be looking at maps and pictures to explore the seaside whilst developing our understanding of human and physical features of geography. We will be using maps and photographs to support with identifying similarities and differences between life in Hackney and at the seaside.

Science

As scientists, we will be exploring what we know about seasonal changes. We will be identifying what we know about seasons, looking at the weather and how this impacts the seasons before comparing the different seasons and investigating how the weather changes.

RE: Why is the Torah important to Jews?

PSHCE: Being Healthy

ICT

We will be looking at digital literacy through photo story.

Physical Education

As cricketers we will be exploring the techniques needed to play a game of Kwik Cricket. These skills will include rolling a ball to bowl, striking a ball with a bat, improving our aiming skills by throwing a ball at a target as well as developing our skills to catch a ball.