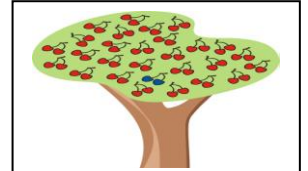


Welcome to Cherry Class



I hope you have had a lovely time over the summer and I am sure you are now ready to start the new school year.

I am looking forward to getting to know you and working together so that we have a very exciting and productive year. I hope that you enjoy the new challenges and approaches to learning that Year 1 has to offer!

Transition from Reception to Year 1

Our aim is to ensure that the children experience a smooth transition from the Foundation Stage to Key Stage One. The Year 1 curriculum builds upon and extends the experiences that children have had in Reception. Learning through play will continue to be an important part of the school day, and the children will gradually be eased into more formal learning as the year goes on so that they remain motivated, enthused and eager learners. Please don't hesitate to come and see me either before or after school if you have any questions or queries.

Mrs Alexander

Reading in Year 1...

Your child will be given a book and a reading diary to bring home. It is important that this comes to school each morning and that your child reads with you most days.

Homework

Your child will generally be given either an English or a maths activity to complete at home each week. I would be grateful if you could support them to do this.



General Reminders...

- Please ensure your child has their PE kit in school and that all items are clearly labelled. We encourage children to practise getting dressed at home to help them get changed quickly in school!
- Forest school will take place each Thursday.
- Swimming will take place on a Friday.