

# **KS1 Newsletter – Summer 1**



# What am I learning this half term?

In Y1 and 2 this half term we will be looking at a variety of different subjects. In maths, we will be concentrating on length, weight, capacity and measures. We will also be learning to tell the time to the nearest 5 minutes. In English, we will be writing invitations to different events. In Science we will be learning all about materials and investigating what materials and thinking about keeping healthy. We will investigate what would be the best material for making an outfit to exercise in. During DT we will be creating a pop up card using different mechanisms.







#### **P.E Dates**

In P.E this half term, we will be taking part in Multi- Skills. We will be focussing on improving our speed, agility, coordination and teamwork.

Please ensure your child comes to school in full P.E kit, which is a plain white t-shirt, plain black tracksuit bottoms or shorts and a jumper, pumps or trainers. This will take place on the following days.

Year 2- Tuesday (outdoor) and Thursday (indoor)

Year 1- Tuesday (outdoor) and Friday (indoor)

# **Morning Skills**

At Ebor Gardens, we want to make every second of learning time count. From 8:30 we will be practicing our handwriting skills followed by key skills. The children will be given time to access TTRockstars, Frogplay or other learning platforms on a Chromebook.

#### **Homework**

Each Friday, Spellings, Maths and Phonics homework will be set and children will have until the following Friday to complete the tasks set. In addition to this there will be a homework grid which children can choose different activities. Each activity will be awarded dojos. Dojo points will be awarded for completed work.

## **Reading Book**

We will be encouraging the children to read every day. Please listen to your children read at home and initial their bookmark. These will also be accompanied by a banded book from our collection which will be changed once the child has finished the text.

#### The Great Fire of London

In Y1 and 2 this half term, we will learn all about The Great Fire of London.

