

All About Me!

Introducing me!



I am Miss Reynolds.

Significant People and Pets in My Family



My mum and dad are very important to me, some of you may know my dad... Mr Reynolds!
I have an older brother Josh and a younger sister Alyssa.

As a family we have lots of different pets... I have a new puppy called Archie, who has lots of energy and enjoys my cuddles!

We also have two donkeys, a girl called Midnight and a boy called Rascal. Can you guess why he has that name?

When I am with my family and pets I feel...

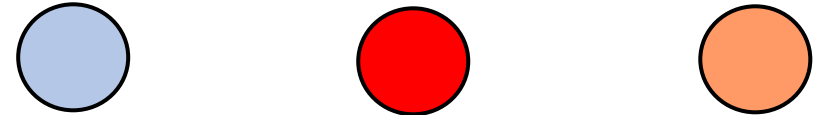


My top three...

My top three favourite places!



My top three favourite colours...



My top three favourite things...



My top 3 favourite animals...



Your Year 1 classroom...

When you come into Year 1, you will have me (Miss Reynolds) as your teacher and you will also have Mrs Rainforth in class too. Some afternoons Mrs Q will come and see you all and work with different groups, looking at all the work you've been doing.

Your year one classroom is a little bit different to reception. You will have pegs in the classroom next door to ours, with your name on it. Along with your very own tray in class!

There are six tables in year one and you will have different tables for different subjects, this means that you get to work alongside lots of your friends throughout the day.

We have a lovely reading corner, which is jungle themed! It's a nice quiet area with lots of books to spark your imagination and get you reading.

We have lots of lovely colourful displays up, and many boards awaiting your amazing work! We have a saying in year 1, '*if in doubt, look about*' because all the displays are there to help you.



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Our topics for the year...

1. All about me

We will think about ourselves and those around us.

2. Exploring China

We look at China and compare it to the UK.

3. Going Green

Finding out ways to help our planet.

4. Plants and animals

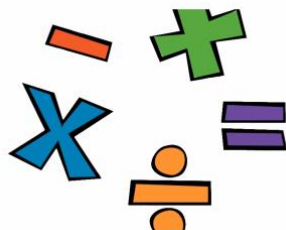
Looking at different animals and plants.

5. London's Burning

Exploring the Great fire of London.

6. Oh I do like to be beside the seaside

Thinking about all things summer.



Each morning we will have Phonics, Writing and Mathematics.

In Phonics we will be recapping every single sound and digraph you have learnt so far. Once we have refreshed these we will begin to introduce new digraphs and trigraphs.

In Writing we look at lots of different genres. Within our first topic 'all about me' we look at acrostic poems. We also look at fairy and tradition tales, featuring the 'Elves and the Shoemaker'. Instructional writing and persuasive writing will also be covered before Christmas.

In Mathematics up until Christmas we look at number, place value, addition and subtraction and shape. We will go over the skills learnt in Reception and build upon them.

Each week we will have PE and a spelling test.

PE – Monday is our PE day. Please ensure PE kits are in school ready. On PE days if you have earrings in please remove them before school as we are not allowed to assist. All jewellery must be removed.



Spellings – Spellings will be sent out on a Friday after their spelling test. To begin with spellings will be based around the phonics digraphs and trigraphs we are learning that week.



A message from me to you....

Hello RN soon to be 1R, I hope you are all looking forward to coming into year 1. I'm very excited to meet you all!

I have seen a few of your lovely faces the last few weeks around school and it has been lovely talking to a some of you.

I have tried to tell you lots of information about me in this booklet, but I will tell you some extra bits too... As you can see from the pictures my favourite animal of all time are bears. I love them!

I love finding out new information about them. *Did you know that a koala isn't actually a bear?*

Although bears are my favourite I do love all animals. I am often at the zoo, looking at all the animals. I enjoy it when children come and tell me about their own experiences of the zoo, farms or their own pets!

I also love going away and doing lots of travelling. I have been to many places and love to find out lots of information about the culture. I really enjoy our Exploring China topic because we look at the similarities and differences between China and the UK.

Now, I hope you've found out lots about me through this booklet. I only have two more things that I'd really like to tell you about.

1. Kindness – I love it when people are kind. Kind to themselves and kind to others. Constant kindness is fantastic!
2. Perseverance and Resilience – I don't accept 'I can't' in my classroom, but 'I can't do it **YET**' is amazing. We love a challenge in year 1 and we're always ready to give it a go. Show me your perseverance and resilience and I will be blown away.

I look forward to meeting all of you in September.

Have a
lovely
summer!