Year 1 Summer Term 2024



In Literacy in Year One we have been using our imagination to create new and exciting characters for our story of Little Jack. Little Jack is the story of a little boy who takes a walk along the beach to grandma's house and meets some rather scary individuals on the way. We have been thinking of interesting and powerful adjectives to describe them.

Money, money, money! In Maths in Year One we have been recognising and ordering the different coins and are beginning to make different amounts and answer some tricky word problems! The children have also explored fractions (halves and quarters) and used these to answer division problems.





In Science we had a rather exciting delivery this term. A packet of mystery seeds arrived! We had to figure out what they might be and what they would need to grow. We carefully planted them in some soil and gave them a little water. Then we placed them on the window ledge so they got plenty of sunlight. We have been watering them every day and we are waiting to see what might happen next.

In Art we have been busy learning about the primary colours and what happens when they are mixed. We have explored this using different materials such as cellophane, crayons and paint!

Using paint, we have been mixing colours and even printing using Lego!



Year 1 launched their brand new topic 'At the Seaside' with a whole seaside day! The children came in seaside clothes and had a go at a range of exciting activities such as a treasure hunt, ice cream making and seaside art!



Year 1 **Extra-Curricular Clubs**

In Art and Crafts Club the children have explored lots of different art styles inspired different artists. They shaped clay insects, painted Kadinsky circles and flowers inspired by Georgia O'Keefe to name a few!





In Dance club, Year 1 learnt about classic tales, focusing on the ice queen, using music to show the story. The children developed a variety of skills, including teamwork, co ordination and balance and listened to the rhythm and tempo of the song to make sure they were dancing in time to the music.

We still have lots to look forward to in Year One before the end of the year including our trip to New Brighton Beach, a visit to St Catherine's Church and our Seaside exit point. So look out on Twitter for updates to see how much fun we will have in this last half term!

