



**Queen Eleanor Primary School
YEAR 1/2 CURRICULUM NEWSLETTER
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Year 1 Literacy

This term Year 1 will be looking at a variety of stories including fairy tails, non-fiction recount writing and poetry.
We read with your child as often as possible and it is very important that your child brings their reading folder every day. We would appreciate your help in making this happen.

Year 1 Numeracy

In Numeracy we will be recognising and ordering numbers up to 20, adding and subtracting, problem solving, explore 2-D and 3-D shapes, as well as investigate measurement.
Our class target in Numeracy is about multiplication. We will be looking at how we can put objects into groups which will help them when they learn their times tables.

Year 2 Literacy

This term Year 2 will be looking at traditional stories including a really fun unit of work about Little Red Riding Hood, non-fiction explanation texts and poetry.
We are assessing the children on their phonetic knowledge at the moment and from this will be putting the children into smaller teaching groups for their phonic, spelling and grammar work.
We read with your child as often as possible and it is very important that your child brings their reading folder every day. We would appreciate your help in making this happen.

Year 2 Numeracy

In Numeracy we will be focusing on multiplication we will also look at how division facts relate to these, the children will learn how to work these out using a numberline.
Year 2 will also be working on solving problems with addition, subtraction, multiplication and division.
Our class target in Numeracy is about multiplication. We will be learning out 2, 3, 5 and 10 times tables.

Creative Topic Work

Year 1 and 2 are excited to offer creative curriculum for the rest of the curriculum areas. This term we will be working on a topic titled "Yum Yum" in which the children will be learning about all aspects of food, for example where food comes from, how to grow food, food from different cultures, even art work with food! This term the days PE occur may change depending on the rest of the curriculum, we would appreciate your child's PE kit being in school from Monday to Friday.