



YEAR 1 Newsletter and Homework Sheet

Friday 22nd May



NOTICES

Year 1 have joined the **CHEXS Grow Club competition**. Over the next 6 weeks, we will grow radishes, carrots, beetroot, turnips and herbs. On the **4th July**, CHEXS will be awarding schools that have taken part with certificates and trophies for best produce! Year 1 children are invited to be there on the day to collect a certificate or two (we hope!). More details on location and times from CHEXS to follow soon but save the date for now 😊

Phonics:

During the week beginning the **8th June**, Year 1 will be completing the **Phonics Screening**. This is a short assessment for all children to assess their phonic knowledge and decoding skills. Children are presented with 40 words, real words and pseudo words (alien words), to sound out and blend.

The screening is carried out one-to-one with each child with their class teacher. It is not made to feel stressful for the children and will seem like their normal classroom practice.

Phonics Play has some free games to help the children practise over half-term. Please encourage your children to have a go.



Buried Treasure

Good for: Practising blending

Teaching Ideas



DRAGON'S DEN

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PICNIC on PLUTO

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Spellings for this half term: Spelling test will be during the first week back.

House, school, when, what, because, says, our

Have a lovely half-term break and we will see the children back at school on Monday 1st June. 😊

