Farnborough Primary School

TERM TWO — YEAR ONE:







Happy New Year!

Welcome back and we hope you have spent an enjoyable Christmas and had a restful break. We are looking forward to the forthcoming term and welcoming back our little Elves! Our Elves will have new topics to explore and we hope they enjoy them as much us!

Year One Team

Our Year One team remains the same as last term with Mrs Murray, Mrs

Gohil and Miss McDonnell. If you have any questions for us, please do not hesitate
to arrange an appointment or speak to myself at the end of the day.

Mrs Murray

<u>Uniform</u> Please remember that children should be in correct uniform with all items of clothing correctly and clearly named. We will have PE twice a week (Tuesdays and Fridays). Please ensure that complete PE kits (red and green) are in school at all times and that all items are clearly labelled.

<u>Water Bottles</u> Please remember to send in a named water bottle filled with fresh water every day.

Reading Folders Reading folders need to be in school everyday with books changed on Wednesdays. Please remember to write a comment about how your child has read.

Dates for your Diary

Wednesday 8th January 2020 - Children return to school

Tuesday 11th February 2020 - Safer Internet Day

Monday 17th February - Friday 21st February - Half Term

Monday 24th February - Children return to school

Thursday 5th March 2020 - World Book Day

Tuesday 16th March 2020 - PTA Secret Gift Room

Thursday 2nd April 2020 - Parents' Evening (3.30 - 8.00pm)

Friday 3rd April 2020 - End of Term





Elves have a visitor! Woody will be visiting the class and delivering something very special! He will share his thinking and asking lots of questions surrounding toys. What is your favourite toy? Is it different to your parents

when they were your age? What about your grandparents? What did they play with? The children will be thinking, exploring and investigating toys from the past and making links to toys of the present day. What will the children find when they compare their toys to those of the past?

Topic	Topic	Mathematics	Science
As historians we will discover a timeline and plot toys from the present and past along it. We will use artefacts and photos to explore the similarities and differences between the past and present.	As historians we will investigate how we can tell a toy is old and create our own Toy museum.	As mathematicians we will develop our skills to solve addition and subtraction calculations and problems. We will be looking at naming and describing 2D and 3D shapes. We will continue to learn our number facts and use practical resources to solve our number work.	As scientists we will be learning about Everyday Materials. As scientists we will investigate different types of materials, their properties and how they are used.
PE	English	Art/DT	RE
As athletes we will be learning ball skills and how we play games together in a team. As gymnasts we will be learning different ways to travel using our bodies.	9	different styles of art, including	In RE we learn about the Easter Story and religious symbols and places of worship.
Music	PSHE	Computing	Support at Home
As musicians we will practise listening to rhythms in music and follow and copy musical patterns.	In PSHE we will be looking at 'what makes a good friend'.	In computing we will be discussing internet safety and work on our keyboard skills.	Homework books come in on Tuesdays and go out on Thursdays. Homework grids are set at the beginning of each term. English and Maths homework alternates each week. A set of spellings are to be learnt every week. In Year 1, homework should take about 20 minutes.