

This term's value is: **Creativity**



Marvellous Mitcheldean



Our Local Area



Dear Parents/Guardians,

Friday 9th September 2016

Welcome to Year 1! I am very much looking forward to working with you and your child this year. I hope you find this overview useful. If you have any questions or concerns, please feel free to come and make an appointment with me for after school.

A quick reminder that we be having Forest school on Thursdays this term so please remember to send your child with appropriate clothing and wellies in a named carrier bag.

Many thanks,

Miss Down

<p style="text-align: center;">English</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Lists, Labels, Captions • Constructing a sentence • Developing independence • Correct letter formation • Reading and writing Common Exception words (red words) • Daily Phonics • Wise Owl Reading (3 home reads a week) • Weekly Spellings 	<p style="text-align: center;">Maths</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Number recognition and writing numerals up to 100 • Reading and writing numbers as words up to 20 • Counting in 1s,2s,5s,10s • Place Value • Finding more/less/ equal using practical apparatus • 2D and 3D shapes 	<p style="text-align: center;">Topic - Geography</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Using geographical vocabulary e.g. village, shop • Using maps including Google Earth to identify where they live • Local area fieldwork around school and the village <p style="text-align: center;">Topic - Science</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Seasonal changes – ‘adopting’ a tree and describing the changes 	<p style="text-align: center;">R.E</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Keeping the golden rule • Belonging within the community and Christianity • Symbols of Christianity • Harvest Festival 	<p style="text-align: center;">P.E</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Developing independence in changing • Develop fundamental movement skills in Games and Gymnastics • Start and stop on command • Carry equipment carefully when travelling • Develop balance
<p style="text-align: center;">Music</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Singing and learning lyrics to songs and rhymes • Discriminate between different sounds 	<p style="text-align: center;">C.P.S.H.E</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Learning the rules and routines of Year 1 • Being a good friend • Bullying • Who looks after me? • The PANTS rule (NSPCC) 	<p style="text-align: center;">Art/D&T</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Sketching natural objects • Sculpture using clay and natural materials • Andy Goldsworthy 	<p style="text-align: center;">Computing</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Logging off • E-safety • Using different brushes, colours and tools on a paint programme • Typing 	<p style="text-align: center;">French</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Greetings

Helpful dates:

W/B: Monday 19th September – After-school clubs start

Friday 30th September – Harvest Festival (Meet at church at 8.50am – please bring a food donation)

Wednesday 5th October – Welcome Wednesday

Friday 7th October – Family Fun Run

Tuesday 11th October – Parents Evening 3.30pm-6pm

Wednesday 12th October – Parents Evening 4pm-7pm

Wednesday 19th October – Last day of term