



# Spring Newsletter



## Year 1 Wagtails

### What's new this term?

#### English:

In English this term we are going to be reading and exploring the book 'The Lion Inside'. We will use this book to help us write our own story about a small animal (mouse) who befriends a large animal in the African savannah. Children will orally compose sentences before writing them. Punctuate sentences using capital letters and full stops. Join words and clauses using 'and'. Leave spaces between words.

#### Maths:

In Maths we will be looking at place value of number within 20.

#### Science:

In science this term we will be looking at animals including humans. We will be looking at the 5 animal groups as well as looking at if animals inc humans are herbivores, carnivores or omnivores. We will also be looking at how and why we use our senses.

#### Geography:

In geography we will be exploring the world and my school. in this unit children will look at where the United Kingdom is in the world, learn the names of the continents and oceans and look at weather and climate across the globe.

#### Computing:

In computing we are going to be programming a moving robot we will be exploring buttons, directions and routes. In the second half of the term, we will be creating media - digital writing. We will be exploring the keyboard and adding and removing text.

#### PSHE:

This term we will be looking at safety and the changing body and citizenship

### Our PE day is:

Wednesday

#### Kit reminders:

Marsh Green hoodie, Marsh Green t-shirt, black/green shorts with black pumps/trainers.

Alternative P.E. Kit – Plain black hoody, black joggers/ leggings/shorts and plain white t-shirt.

### Reminders

We have now moved over to being cashless and any toast or trip money will now need to be paid via Arbour, using your child's log in that was sent out before Christmas.

Please continue to read with your child 3x a week and sign their diaries.

