

Welcome to Year 1

Picasso- Mrs Miller

Mondrian- Mrs Carr

Dali- Mrs Zaman

Our Expectations

- On time for school every day- registration is at 8:50am.
- Correct uniform properly named- black trousers or skirt, white polo shirt, school jumper or cardigan, black shoes- no trainers. Long hair must be tied back.
- Ready for learning- plenty of sleep, a good breakfast and a water bottle!
- Book bags checked for letters every day.
- Appropriate time and support spent on homework.
- Learning finishes at 3.20.

Curriculum Overview:

This term we will be learning about:

Science:

Our topic is Who am I?

Geography:

Our topic is What I see on my way to school.

Computing:

Our topic is We are treasure hunters.

History:

Toys

RE:

What does it mean to belong?

PSHE:

Beginning and Belonging

PE:

Indoor: Gym and Dance.

Outdoor: Multi Skills.

Music:

We will be learning about pulse and rhythm, as well as leaning songs for harvest.

Art:

We will be learning about drawing.

DT:

We will be making musical instruments.

Reading:

Firstly, we want children to enjoy reading!!!!!!

We have a varied approach to reading.

Comprehension of what is being read is equally important. Ask your child questions, discuss what they are reading and encourage understanding of new vocabulary.

Please ensure children's reading diaries are in school every day.

Helpful websites:

www.phonicsplay.co.uk

www.bbc.co.uk/schools

Writing:

We expect children to use a continuous cursive script every time they write.

We will be teaching the correct letter formation in every lesson.

We will be working on composing sentences verbally and writing them using the correct punctuation.

Maths:

Our new calculation policy is available on the school website

Concrete - Pictorial - Abstract

We will be learning our 2x and 10x tables and our number bonds to 10 and 20.

To retain these number facts, they need to be practised regularly. We will give homework to help support your child's learning..

Please help to support your child with the pronunciation of 'teen' and 'ty' numbers!



White Rose

Maths

Mastery. Not

memorisation.

*Tell me and I
forget.*

*Show me and I
remember.*

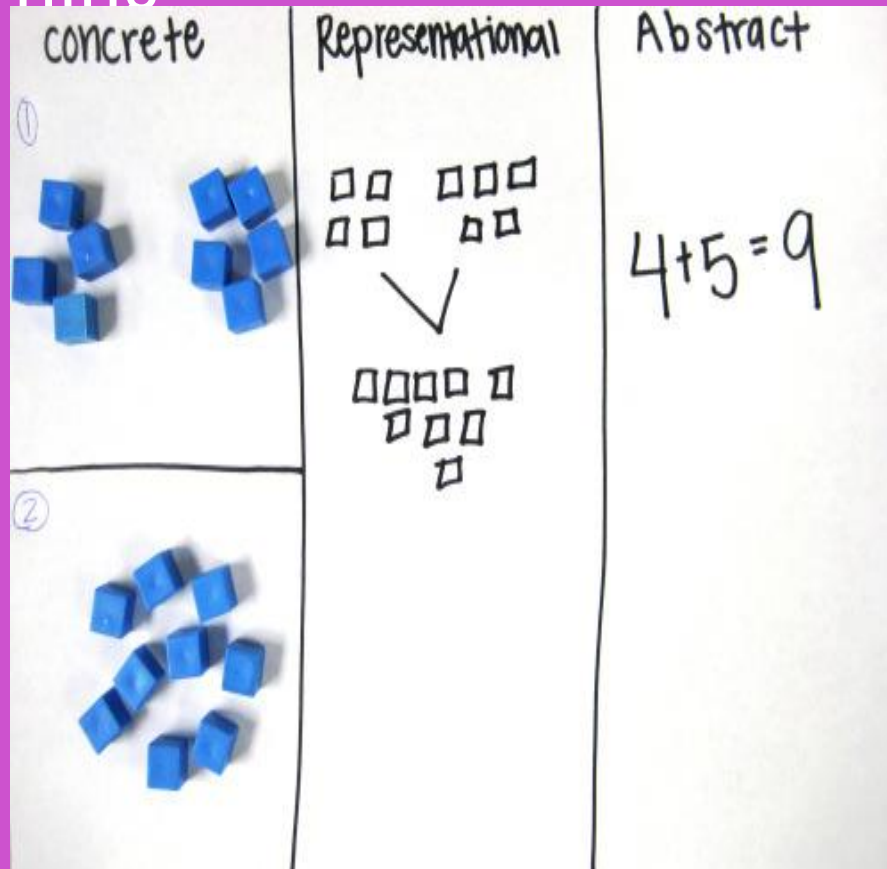
*Let me do and I
understand.*

- Confucius

https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=w_eCPBIJVSrI

The Singapore maths method is based on a three steps of learning

- Concrete
- Pictorial
- Abstract

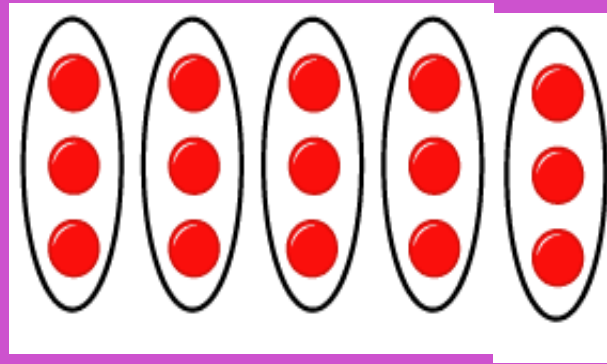


Example – multiplication 5X3

Step 1



Step 2



Step 3

$$5 \times 3 = 15$$

$$3 + 3 + 3 + 3 + 3 = 15$$

Homework:

Mondays: spellings to be tested on Friday.

Tuesday: SPaG (spelling and grammar, including phonics)

Wednesday: Maths

Thursday: relevant foundation subject homework when appropriate.

READING!!!

PE Kit:

Indoor:

Black shorts, school PE t-shirt.

Picasso – Tuesday outdoor
Thursday indoor

Mondrian – Tuesday outdoor
Thursday indoor

Dali - Thursday outdoor
Wednesday indoor

Outdoor: Black shorts or jogging bottoms, school PE t-shirt, socks and white trainers. Fleece/sweatshirt for colder weather. If your daughter wears tights please ensure she has socks in her bag. Please encourage girls to learn how to take their own tights on and off.

ALL EARRINGS MUST BE TAKEN OUT BEFORE

Parent council:

Please check the website.

Can you offer help and support?

Meet and Greet Thursday 13^h of September.

And finally

**You are invited to come and watch your
child's class harvest assembly**

Mondrian – 17th October at 9.15pm

Picasso – 16th October at 9.15am

Dali – 18th October at 9.15

A letter will be sent out nearer the time