

Together we will master...reading:

- Enjoying reading, discussing, and answering questions about Leaf – Sandra Dieckmann and The Guffalo – Julia Donaldson.
-

Together we will master...writing:

- Write a fantasy narrative based on Leaf by Sandra Dieckmann.
- Write letters using a famous explorer as the sender of the letter.
- Write a poem that links to PSHE and friendship that uses a play on words.

Together we will master...maths:

- Division
- Fractions
- Numbers to 100
- Time

Together we will master...science:

- Know what plants and trees look like.
- Name some plants and trees.
- Identify the features of plants and trees.
- Identify and know the difference between evergreen and deciduous trees.

Together we will master...Art:

- Appraise the work of Jean Metzinger.
- Design and create our own Amy Johnson moths in the style of Jean Metzinger.
- Learn about mosaic.

Together we will master...computing

- Knowing what a spreadsheet is and how to use one.
- Log in and log out safely.
- Open and save own work.

**Year 1
Term Summer 1**

Together we will master...PSHE:

- Understand that there are different types of families.
- Identify the qualities that a good friend has.
- Understand appropriate ways to greet our friends and which ways we prefer.

What can you do to support your child?

Practise number recognition, number and letter formation/ weekly spellings including the phonic sounds and tricky words.

Read with your child daily using Bug Club – reading the book and answering the questions.

Encourage the use of Bug Club and Purple Mash.

Together we will master...history

- Learn about Amy Johnson's life and achievements.
- Research how Hull has changed over time.

Together we will master...PE:

- Develop our tennis skills including how to hold and use a racket and strike a ball.

Together we will master...music:

- Listen to, appraise, and improvise music using expression and body percussion.

Together we will master...RE:

- Learn about Judaism, the importance of Shabbat and the Jewish place of worship (synagogue).

Year 1 routines:

- **Spellings** – these will be given out every Monday and the children will be tested on Monday of the following week.
- **Home reading** – reading will continue on bug club and children have a log in for this. Those children in school will read to an adult in school but will not be bringing a reading book home at the moment. Reading on Bug Club will be monitored by teaching staff to make sure all pupils have appropriate reading books available to them.
- **Purple Mash** – Children all have a personal log in which allows them to access a range of learning activities at home.
- **Water bottles** – Please ensure your child has a **clear water bottle, containing only water** in school every day. This must be taken home every evening to be washed and re-filled.
- **PE** - Our day for PE is Thursday. Children need to come to school in their full PE kit including trainers, warm jogging bottoms and a warm top. PE will take place outside. Long hair must be tied back, and jewellery removed.

Year One Team

Teachers

Miss Zoe Callow zoe.callow@vennacademy.org

Mrs Kirsty Roantree kirsty.roantree@vennacademy.org

Teaching Assistants

Miss Morrell

Mrs Stewart

Mrs Wigglesworth

Any issues or concerns can be discussed with a member of staff via a phone call or email.

Please keep the office up to date with any changes to your contact information. 01482 794122 or griffinenquiries@vennacademy.org