

Together we will master...Reading:

- Focus on decodable books and using phonic knowledge to build our fluency when reading.
- Share stories for pleasure.

Together we will master...Writing:

- Write a narrative based on Leaf by Sandra Dieckmann
- Write a letter to Amy Johnson
- Word play poetry about our friends and family.

Together we will master...Maths:

- Numbers to 100
- Time

Together we will master...Music:

- Sing funk songs
- Experiment with sound using voices and percussion.

Together we will master...Science:

- Identify the features of a plant
- Know the names of wild plants and garden plants
- Know the parts of a tree.

Together we will master...PE:

- Hold a tennis racket using the correct technique
- Strike a tennis ball with control.

Together we will master...History:

- Understand who Amy Johnson was and where she came from.
- Understand why people still remember Amy Johnson.

**Year 1
Summer 1 2022**

Together we will master...PSHE:

- Know what being a good friend means.
- Know appropriate ways of physical contact to greet my friends and know which ways I prefer.

What can you do to support your child?

Read with your child daily

Ask children questions about the book they have been reading

Share a book for enjoyment with your child

Encourage usage of Purple Mash to help children become familiar with the website.

Together we will master...Art:

- Form opinions about the work of Henri Matisse
- Use different shapes to create a picture.

Together we will master ... Computing:

- Use direction keys to complete challenges
- Understand how to create and debug a set of instructions.

Together we will master...RE:

- Know the importance of Shabbat
- Know the Jewish place of worship.

Year 1 routines:

- **Home reading** – Each child has a log in for Big Cat Collins online. The reading books on here are matched to the Phonics they are learning in school. Each pupil will also bring home a supplementary book which may have some words they will need help with, and books for you to share with your child that you can enjoy reading together.
- **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 Friday. Children need to come to school in their full PE kit including trainers, jogging bottoms and a top. PE will take place outside. Long hair must be tied back, and jewellery removed.

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If you have any concerns, please do not hesitate to speak to us. Remember to keep an eye out for 'Marvellous Me' messages and pictures on the school's Twitter page to see what we have been doing.

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