## Welcome to Year 1



'Don't let anyone look down on you because you are young but set an example for the believers in speech; in conduct; in love; in faith and in purity (1 Timothy 4:12).'

## Meet the Staff





Miss Maden Class Teacher



Mrs Pinder Teaching Assistant



Miss Bradshaw Teaching Assistant

### Attendance

In order for your child to achieve their full potential children must attend everyday!



#### Illness

If your child is too ill to attend school you must ring the school office before 9am to let us know why this should be repeated each day of absence. If they have sickness and or diarrhoea children must not come back for 24hours after the last time they are sick.

School will text or ring if this is not done.

<u>Appointments</u>

Please try and make appointments for out of school time. We understand certain hospital appointments can not be made out of school hours. Evidence of these appointments are needed.

**Holidays** 

Holidays in school time will not be authorised and as with Lancashire policy parents will be fined.

# Punctuality



Your child must be in school by 8.50am or they will be marked as late. If the gates are locked you must enter the school via the front door. Persistent lates will be result in external agencies being involved or parents being placed on a parent contract.

Children are rewarded for punctuality so please ensure you try your best to be on time. Children are allowed in school from 8.45am.

## Up to Date Details



- It is essential that we have a reliable way of contacting you at any time.
- Please make sure we have at least three different adults we can contact in case of emergency for your child. Work/landline or mobile.
- If these change at anytime please let us know immediately.

### Uniform

St Pauls CE Primary School

We pride ourselves in our smart uniform.

Please ensure your child always has the correct uniform each day.

Boys Girls

White shirt White shirt

Blue elastic tie Blue elastic tie

Blue school sweatshirt Blue school sweatshirt

Grey trousers/ shorts Grey tailored trousers

Blue tartan skirt

Sensible <u>All</u> black shoes (that children can put on and take off) Black trainers are allowed but must have no other colours on them.

- Girls hair must be tied back.
- No extreme hair cuts are allowed shaved areas, wedges or zigzags.
- A waterproof coat with a hood. (This should be in school everyday no matter what the weather)
- All items must be clearly named.

### PE Kit

### The School Kit is:-

- White school T-shirt,
- Black Shorts,
- Black P.E Pumps. Check that they fit!
- Trainers that can be left in school
- Blue drawstring bag





Kit should be clearly <u>named</u> and in a <u>named</u> drawstring P.E. bag. All items of uniform should also be <u>named</u>.

## Expectations from Parents

What we expect from you as parents

- Your child to come to school everyday and on time.
- Full school uniform, appropriate school shoes
- Full PE kit
- Bring their book bag every day.
- To hear your child read at least 3 times a week ideally every night.
- To follow up some activities at home to consolidate learning at school.
- To work with staff, keep us informed about things that will affect the child, support and promote good behaviour.
- To ensure Homework and home learning tasks are completed.



# Class Expectation



- Your child will bring home a reading book linked to the phonics phase that they are working within as well as some key words to practise. Please ensure that you listen to your child read every night. Reading books will be changed 3 times a week if your child's home learning diary has been signed
- Homework will be sent home on Friday and should be returned to school on a Wednesday morning. This should be completed to a high standard using pencil
- Spelling test will take place each week on a Friday. Please ensure that your child practises their spellings at least 3 times prior to their test

## Class Dojo





- There will still be an expectation that families are familiar with and regularly access Class Dojo. There are many school and class related posts each week.
- Children will be expected to access it both at school and at home.
- Some homework tasks will be set on here.

### School Website

Access to knowledge organisers



www.st-pauls.lancs.sch.uk



Class Pages

Change language

# Knowledge Organisers



St Paul's Church of England Primary School

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Subject: Geography	Year group: 1 Term: Autumn 1		Title: Penguins, Possums and Pigs
What should I know?	Facts I will leam		Key questions
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- To comment and ask questions about aspects of their familiar world, such as the place where they live or the natural world
- To show care and concern for living things and the environment
- To look closely at similarities, differences, patterns and change
- To know about similarities and differences in relation to places, objects, materials and living things
- They talk about the features of their own immediate environment and how environments might vary from one another







- Name the world's seven continents and five oceans
- Locate the world's the seven continents and five oceans
- Identify seasonal and daily weather patterns in the United Kingdom
- Identify the location of hot and cold areas of the world in relation to the Equator and the North and South Poles
- Locate land and sea on maps

- · Where are the hot/cold places in the world?
- What is the weather like in the hot places of the world (near the Equator)?
- What is the weather like near the cold places of the world (North or South Pole)?
- How is the weather at the Equator/Poles different from the weather in our country?
- What sorts of animals live in that hot/cold place?
- What sorts of plants grow in that hot/cold place?
- What are the seven continents and five oceans called?
- Can I locate the continents and oceans on a world map?



#### Key Skills..

- Name the seven continents
- Name the 5 oceans
- Identify weather changes and talk about different types of weather
- Identify what a map looks like

#### Experiences that school will provide:

- Forest school seasonal weather investigation
- Maps follow a treasure hunt



#### Web links

 $\frac{http://www.sheppardsoftware.com/World\ Continen}{ts.htm}$ 

https://www.leaminggamesforkids.com/weathergames.html

#### Experiences that could be provided at home...

Weather diary - record different types of weather in their weather diary each week

Key vocab	Definition
Season	One of the four periods of
	the year; spring, summer, autumn,
	or winter
Continent	One of the main landmasses of the globe,
	usually reckoned as seven in number
Ocean	A very large area of sea
Weather	The conditions in the air above
	the earth such as wind, rain or hail
Equator	An imaginary line drawn around
'	the middle of
	the earth an equal distance from
	the North Pole and the South Pole



## Relationships Education Content



- What makes us special and unique
- How we are different and similar to others
- How we belong to different groups (family, friendships, communities) and the different features of these groups
- How to stay healthy and what a healthy lifestyle looks/feels like
- Why routines are so important to us
- The part money plays in our lives, where money comes from and how we can keep it safe
- Who can keep us safe in the community and their roles in our lives
- Our roles and responsibilities when looking after others and the world

### Contact

Class Email — non urgent message for teacher <a href="mailto:l.maden@st-pauls.lancs.sch.uk">l.maden@st-pauls.lancs.sch.uk</a>



Message in planner — we aim to check this each day but this maybe every 2 days

Phone school — Mrs Smith will pass messages on or deal with most enquiries.