

### PE Kit

Yellow PE T-shirt. Black shorts, Velcro trainers

Jogging bottoms and jumpers when weather is colder



**PE lessons are on Thursday and Friday**

PLEASE MAKE SURE ALL YOUR CHILD'S UNIFORM AND EQUIPMENT  
ARE CLEARLY MARKED WITH THEIR NAME.

EARRINGS SHOULD BE TAKEN OUT FOR PE DAYS.

Jewellery - The children are allowed to wear a watch and, if they have their ears pierced, one pair of small stud earrings which must be removed or covered for PE. No other jewellery should be worn.

### Home learning

#### Reading-

Your child should try to read every day. Please ensure that at least 4 sessions of reading are recorded in their reading record book and each one is signed by you.

Please remember high frequency words are printed in the front of reading diaries for children to practise reading and writing.

Please spend time looking at sounds, words and alien words for the Phonics Screening Check. Ask if you need more resources.

### We all follow the same three school rules:

1. We respect all members of the community
2. We follow instructions
3. We use our hands, feet and other objects in a kind way.

# Furzefield Primary School



**Curriculum Information  
YEAR 1  
Summer Term 2025**

**English**

We will continue our daily phonics lessons using the 'Read Write Inc' programme.

We will be looking at fiction and non-fiction texts around our science topic 'plants'. The children will also keep a bean diary, and write their own gardening story.



How you can help at home:

Please keep reading a variety of books (fiction & non fiction) and practise letter formation leading into writing short words and sentences.

Ask your child to make up some 'alien' and real words and see if they can add the sound buttons to them too.

**Maths**

We will measure the growth of plants, as well as re-visiting number, word problems, addition and subtraction. As the weather becomes warmer we will be able to learn and play with capacity outside. The rest of the term will be used to enhance learning of mathematical concepts already studied to ensure confidence ready for year 2.

How you can help at home:

Relate mathematics to real life. Asking children to pay and work out calculations at the shops, measure food when cooking. Try assigned activities on Mathematics. Sing times tables songs.



**Science**

Children will be encouraged to form and evaluate their own experiments around growing plants and seasonal changes. We will study and label plants closely and investigate how to grow them in the outside area. Weather will also be a focus as we look at seasonal changes and how they influence daily life.

We will have various theme weeks such as bees and butterflies. Time will also be spent helping our vegetable garden and learning about the origins of food.

How you can help at home:

Maybe try to grow something at home on your window sill or in the garden.

Discuss where the food they eat comes from.



**RE**

We will be focusing on Judaism for this term. Within this study, we will learn about Moses, why Jewish people celebrate Shabbat, what the Torah is and why the Torah is important to Jewish families.



Summer Term

**Art & DT**

As part of our science topic on plants, we will be looking at sunflowers, as well as making close observational sketches of plants. We will be looking at colour mixing, colour matching and collage.

We are making a 3D model of something that grows out of recycled materials we will be incorporating a lever to create movement.



**History & Geography**

We will continue our Kings, Queens and castles topic. We will look at waste during Earth week and learn about improving biodiversity through our bees and plants topics.

**Computing**

Please continue to access Purple Mash, Mathletics and spelling frame activities at home.



**PSHE**

We will be looking at health and ways to keep healthy and happy. We will continue to encourage children to use zones of regulation to better understand their feelings and emotions.



**Music**

In music we will be looking closely at classic composers and improvising our own music with Charanga. We will also be learning about rhythm, pitch, beat and tempo.



**PE**

In PE we will be working on the foundations of athletics: throwing, catching and running. In the run up to sports day we will be improving a variety of skills. We will also be taking part in other activities such as gymnastics and yoga, especially during inclement weather.

At home, practise throwing and catching a ball. Join a sports club if you can.

