

# Westminster Cathedral Catholic Primary School



## Founded by The Jesuit Fathers Circa 1849 Year 1 Newsletter



11th January 2018  
*'Love one another as I have loved you'*  
John 13:34

### Our Learning this term

#### English:

Lila and the Secret of Rain  
by David Conway

Phonics: please ensure your child goes through the speed sounds every day

#### Maths:

Numbers: counting to 40

Geometry: 2D shapes/3D shapes

Calculation: multiplication and division

addition and subtraction word problems

Measure: length and height

#### RE:

Special People

Meals

Change

#### Science:

Seasonal changes (spring to summer)

Plants

#### PE:

Ball skill

Catching and throwing

#### ICT:

Computer science

E-safety

#### Topic:

Poles Apart

Dear parents,

### HIGHLIGHTS OF LAST TERM



Black History Month



The Christmas Play



The Living Nativity



International Day

Please remember to read the newsletter on the school website to find out about other exciting activities.

### Reminders this term

#### Homework

Homework is handed out every Friday and is expected to be handed in the following Thursday.

#### Reading Records

Reading books will be changed on Mondays - Each child will be given 3 books to read through out the week

Please make sure that children are reading a range of books **every night** and reading records are signed.

#### PE

Year 1 PE is on: Thursdays

#### P E KIT

Key Stage 1 Black Plimsolls (slip on) PE. Trainers may be worn for outdoor activities only.

Navy Blue Shorts and White T-shirt.

During the winter months and if PE is outside, then children are to wear navy blue track suit bottoms and their school jumper. No hooded sweatshirts.

Please send your child's **PE Kit into school in a bag on Monday** and remind your child to **bring it home on Friday for washing**.

#### SCHOOL UNIFORM

**Boys** - Grey Trousers

V-Neck Grey Jumper (no zips)

White Shirts

School Tie

Short Grey Socks

Black Blazer (optional)

Black/Grey/Navy Blue/Red Coats

**Girls** - Dark Grey Tunics (Infants, early Juniors)

Dark Grey Skirt (Older Juniors)

V-Neck Grey Jumper/Cardigan

White Shirts (no blouses or V necks)

School Tie

White Socks or Plain Red or Plain Grey tights

Black Blazer (optional)

Black/Grey/Navy Blue/Red Coats

Sensible Black Shoes -preferably lace-up or bars.

Red, white or black Hair Ribbons

ONLY (no fancy head wear or accessories)

# Key Dates for Year 1 Spring Term 2018

**Friday 12th January:** Portuguese lessons parent session

**Monday 15th January:** After school clubs begin

**Wednesday 17th January:** 9.30am Welcome home Mass with Father Pat in school

**Friday 19th January:** Library

**Friday 26th January:** School Disco (**Reception and KS1 3.15pm—4.15pm.** KS2 4.30pm— 6.00pm)

**Monday 30th January:** Coram Life Bus— Y1

**Tuesday 6th February:** E-safety day

**HALF TERM—12th February till 16th February**

**Monday 19th February:** Individual and siblings photographs

**Wednesday 21st February:** Bling my bike

**Thursday 1st March:** World Book Day (Children to dress as a book character)

**Tuesday 20th March:** Parents' evening

**Thursday 22nd March:** Parents' evening

**Friday 23rd March:** Red Nose Day

**Monday 26th March:** 9.15am Year 1 and Year 2 Palm Sunday liturgy and performance

**Wednesday 28th March:** 2pm Easter hat parade KS1 and Easter Egg raffle

**Thursday 29th March:** 1.30pm End of term

### Clubs available for Year 1

- Tuesday - Little Kickers
- Wednesday - Twinkle Toes
- Friday - Drama