



FAIRLANDS PRIMARY SCHOOL

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Changes



Year 1

Summer Term 2 2021

Curriculum focus for this topic are:

Science – Different animals & In the Garden

Art – Textiles

Music- Creating and Developing Music Ideas

New Technologies – Visual Information

PE – Athletics

Glossary

The key words they will need to be able to use in both discussion and their writing are:

Word	Definition
Changes	
Life cycle	
Grow	
Plant	
Animal	
Mini-beast	
Omnivore	
Herbivore	
Leaf	
Root	
Stem	
Flower	
Human body	
living	
Non-living	

Over the next few weeks, your child will be working on the topic of 'Changes'.

They will be taking part in a series of exciting activities, including:

- **Learning about the responsibility of taking care of all living things**
- **Learning about life cycles of various animals and plants**
- **Growing and caring for their own plants**
- **Learning about healthy living and caring for their bodies**
- **Learning about what happens in Year 2**

Your child needs your help and involvement! Please get involved by:

- Taking your child to the library to get books on different animal and plant life cycles**
- Discussing how to care for their own pets and think about how their pets have grown and changed**
- Researching a favourite animal using the internet and look at its lifecycle**
- Involving your child in making healthy meal choices**
- Talking to them about how they have grown and changed**

- Talking to your child about going to Year 2 and what they are looking forward to**

What else is happening?

Religious Education

This half-term, your child will be learning about 'Islam'

Values Education

The whole school value for June will be 'Politeness'. It would be great if you could talk to your child about how to show politeness, including, being kind, using please and thank you, being helpful etc.

Homework

Please support your child by making sure that they read at least three times a week. Tricky words are sent home on a Friday for the children to practise at home. On a Friday, your child will be using these words in sentences. A half-termly project is set on the homework flyer and is expected to be brought in before the end of the half term.

Clubs

Breakfast Club	Every morning 7.45 – 8.50am
Lower Site After School Club	Every Day 3.15 – 6.15pm
Upper Site After School Club	Every day 3.15 – 6.15pm
Skills 7 Football – Year 2 - 6	3.15pm – 5.00pm
Identity Dance (Ballet) Rec – Year 3	TBA
Mad Science –Year 1 to Year 6	TBA
Games Library	TBA
Identity Dance (Street) Year 2 -6	3.20pm – 4.10pm
Premier Sports (Gymnastics) – All Years	TBA

Forthcoming Events

Monday 7th June	Start of Summer Term 2
Friday 11th June	Science Day "Think Like A Scientist"
Tuesday 22nd June	Nursery, Reception and Year 1 – Sports Day
Wednesday 23rd June	Year 2 and Year 3 – Sports Day
Thursday 24th June	Year 4, Year 5 and Year 6 – Sports Day
Friday 25th June	INSET DAY – School Closed
Monday 28th June	OCCASIONAL DAY – School Closed
Tuesday 13th July	Year 1 – The Big School Camp
Wednesday 14th July	Children's Reports Sent Home
Thursday 22nd July	End of Summer Term 2 – 2.15pm Finish
Wednesday 1st September	INSET DAY – School Closed
Thursday 2nd September	Start of Autumn Term 1