**Spring 2 – Curriculum Letter**

We hope the information below will provide you and your child with the information you need regarding what we are learning in the next half term in Year 1.

**English**

Our story will be Oliver’s Vegetables. We will be learning about the days of the week and sequencing a story.

**Maths**

- Place value within 50 – recognising numbers up to 50 and how they can be shown.

- Length and height

- Time

**Science**

‘How does your garden grow?’ We will be learning about plants, trees and flowers, learning common names and the parts of plants.

**History**

Brilliant Bradfordians! We will be finding out about Enoch Priestley and why he is important to Wibsey’s local history. We will also be learning about the Jowett brothers’ contributions to transport.

**Art**

Learning and exploring the primary and secondary colours and how they are used by artists.

**Computing**

Animated storybooks on Purple Mash.

**PE days - Please ensure that your child comes to school in their school PE uniform on their designated day.**

Class 1.1: Tuesday

Class 1.2: Tuesday

Class 1.3: Friday

In addition to their class PE slot, children will have additional PE as part of the PPA provision. Please see the table below for the additional days for your child during this half term.

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| **Spring 1** | **P.E** |
| Monday 19th February | 1.1 & 1.3 |
| Monday 26th February | 1.2 & 1.3 |
| Monday 4th March | 1.1 & 1.2 |
| Monday 11th March | 1.1 & 1.3 |
| Monday 18th March | 1.2 & 1.3 |

**Reading and Spelling**

Your child will be given a reading book to bring home and read with you, ideally every day. They will also have a reading journal for you to record when they have read with you. Please don’t feel that you have to write a comment daily, but it is really helpful for us to know how often they have read at home, and how well they are doing. ***They will need to keep their reading journal and book in their book bags to bring to school every day.*** As book bags will be kept in the classroom, **children cannot use large bags or rucksacks**. Spellings will be sent home later in the term for your child to practise and learn.

**Homework**

Homework is an opportunity for you to share in your child’s learning, by supporting and encouraging them as they complete their homework tasks.

Mrs Ellis-Barker, Mrs Askham and Miss Harvey

Year One Team