



Stamford Green Primary School

Working together to be the best we can



Happiness

We support children in the transition from YR to Y1

During the first term teaching includes many similar activities to those in Reception.

Spanish with Mrs Cater is continued in Y1.

Regular outside learning continues.

Use of the Year 1 outdoor learning area.

Remember coats!



Togetherhness

Mixed ability groups, which change each half term encourage new friendships and good teamwork.

New talk partners each week.

Some activities still involving the whole year group.

Whole class learning.



Achieving

You can support your child to achieve in Year 1 by

- Reading every day at home
- Practising reading and spelling the words on the Y1 list.
- Talking through 'Look, Say, Cover, Write, Check' sheets
- Practising reading and spelling words using the phonics booklet (sent home in September).
- Talking about books you and your child enjoy (including those by our 'Author of the Week'). You will find out about which author we are learning about in the weekly information.



Ambition

It is our mission that all children in Year 1 will see themselves as readers and writers by the end of the year.

All children read 1:1 with a teacher each week.

Children are supported 1:1, in pairs, small groups, as a whole class (and everything in between!!) Our ongoing assessment of learning informs how learning is organised and this changes day to day.

Children complete tasks at their own level.

'Speedy Maths' begins in Y1!



Learning

This year's themes are:

- Stories we Love
- The Time of Our Lives
- Who lives in a house like this?
- Sensational World
- I Live in Epsom



Values

In Year 1 your child will draw particularly on these values:

Self Belief

Resilience

Patience

Hope and Aspiration

Making good choices



Inspiring



Warren Buffett