



**Montagu Academy**  
Striving for excellence, broadening horizons

**Year 1**

**Curriculum Newsletter**

**Autumn Term (1)**

In **Mathematics** we will be focussing on the following:

- Number and Place Value
- Number: Addition and Subtraction
- Geometry: Shape

In **Writing** we will be focussing on the following;

- Basic sentence structure

In **Reading** we will be focussing on the following;

- Blending sounds in unfamiliar words
- Read common exception words.

### Other areas of the curriculum

<b>Science</b> All about me.	<b>Computing</b> E safety.	<b>Religious Education</b> Christianity
<b>Geography</b> Finding our way around our school and grounds.	<b>History</b> Changes within living memory.	<b>Art</b> Use drawing and painting to share their ideas and experiences.
<b>Music</b> Use their voices expressively.	<b>PE</b> Outside: Net games Inside: Gymnastics.	<b>MfL</b> French: Deepen knowledge of celebrations in different cultures.
<b>Design &amp; Technology</b> Select from and use a wide range of materials and components.	<b>PSHCE</b> Building learning power.	<b>British Values</b> Democracy Mutual Respect

Our Imaginative Learning Project theme is...

## Memory Box



These are some of the things we'll be doing:

- We will be making our own memory box and filling it with items we have brought from home that are full of memories, such as photographs, old baby items etc.
- Talking about basic principles of a healthy diet by preparing and having a Teddy Bears Picnic.
- We will be comparing traditional playground games to what children enjoy doing now.

**Can you help?** Anything associated with this half term's topic would be greatly appreciated! (Books, artefacts etc)

### Homework

Every Friday your child will receive either Maths or Learning Log homework. These will be alternated each week so one week they will have Maths homework, the week after it will be Learning Log. We will collect these in each Wednesday.

Spelling will go out every Friday and be collected each Wednesday. Each child will receive 2 reading books which will be changed every 2 weeks.

### How you can support your child's learning at home

Please try to read with your child a minimum of 4 times each week. Please comment in your child's planner each time they've read.

Please practice spelling with your child each night on their LCWC sheet.

### Other news...

PE days

INS Indoor PE Tuesday  
Outdoor PE Wednesday

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Outdoor PE Wednesday

Please ensure children have correct PE kit for both inside and outside PE.

Welcome to Year 1.