



# GRINDON INFANT SCHOOL Year 1 Autumn 1 2023 NEWSLETTER



## Dates

Year 1 Welcome Meeting - Wednesday 13<sup>th</sup>  
September at 9am.

Food Bank Collection Week - Monday 2<sup>nd</sup> October  
- Friday 6<sup>th</sup> October

Half Term - Monday 23<sup>rd</sup> October - Friday 27<sup>th</sup>  
October

Halloween Disco - Monday 30<sup>th</sup> October 3:30-  
4:30pm

## Half Term Project

During the half term holiday children can complete a project of their choice with the theme 'All About Me'. This could be creative work, writing, models or photographs. Please bring projects back to school on Monday 30<sup>th</sup> October.

## PE

All children must have a PE kit with them in school at all times. Our school PE kit is black/green shorts, a white t-shirt and black plimsolls. Earrings must not be worn in school at any time.

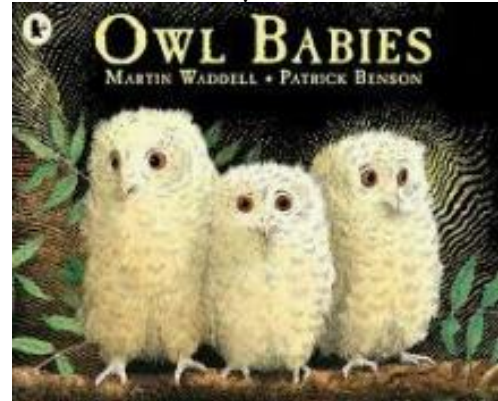
**Year 1 Children will have PE on a Monday and Wednesday**

**Remember to put names on all belongings including shoes, jumpers and coats.**



## English

This half term our work will be focussing on the story Owl Babies.



We will be completing lots of activities based on this story and finally writing our own version of the story by changing the characters. We will be making our own owl collages.

## Maths

In Maths we will be doing lots of work on counting and place value before moving onto addition and subtraction work.

## Geography

This half term we will be looking at the geography of the local area.

## Reading and homework

Please try to hear your child read every night for a short period of time. Please remember to write in the reading record book when you have heard your child read.

This means they can move up the racing track. When the children have read at home 20 times, they will be invited to 'Afternoon Tea with Mrs C' where the children will enjoy afternoon tea and a story with Mrs Charlton.

Your child will receive a homework pack at the beginning of a term, please complete one piece of homework per week and return to school.