



Welcome to Year One!

My name is Mrs Johnson and along with my teaching assistants Miss Potts, Miss Rose, Mrs Ramsden and Miss Kass, we are incredibly excited to be teaching your children this year in the Year 1 classroom. Mrs A Johnson will also be teaching in Year 1 on a Tuesday morning. In this information sheet, you will find everything you need to know about the year ahead including what needs to come into school and when. If you have any questions or if you need anything during the year, please don't hesitate to ask. You can catch us at the end of the day at the Year 1 door or alternatively, you can contact us via the school email address which is admin@meanwood.leeds.sch.uk. We are looking forward to working with your children this year and we can't wait to see the fantastic progress that they are going to make.

Training Days

**Tuesday 1st September
2026**

**July 19th, 20th, 21st, 22nd
2027**

Spellings

Your child's weekly spellings will be put on the Year 1 Class page for them to learn at home in preparation for a test every Friday. Your child's spelling result will be sent home with their reading book on a **Friday**.

School Trips

**Meanwood Valley Urban Farm:
19/10/26**

M&S Archive: 5/3/27

P.E Days

Year 1 PE lessons are on a **Wednesday** and **Thursday**. Please make sure your child is wearing their school PE kit on Wednesdays and Thursdays, **beginning on Thursday 3rd September** which will be our first PE session.

Reading Books

Reading books will be sent home daily. Please send your child's book into school each day. Reading books will be changed every Monday and Friday so please try and ensure each book is read at home and ready to be changed on these days. This ensures that your child has every opportunity to read at home and in class to progress quickly.

Reminders

Please make sure everything that your child brings into school is named and labelled. It makes returning lost items much easier. Children should bring a water bottle into school that should have their name written on. They will have access to these water bottles throughout the day.

Helpful Guide

Here is a little guide to know what needs to come into school and when.

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Reading Books	Reading Books	Reading Books Wear PE kit	Reading Books Wear PE kit	Reading Books Spelling Test