

WALLISDEAN INFANT SCHOOL
Year 1 Spring 1 2025/26
Our Local Area

Diary Dates

Start of Spring 1: Monday 5th January 2026
Tuesday 7th January 2026: Local Walk
Friday 30th January 2026: School Pantomime for children
Friday 6th February 2026: Number Day NSPCC
Tuesday 10th February 2026: Safer Internet Day.
End of Spring 1: Friday 13th February 2026

Half term holiday: Monday 16th February – Friday 20th February 2026

Start of Spring 2: Monday 23rd February 2026

Maths

We will be focusing on money, shape and weight. We will also develop our skills of counting in 2s, 5s and 10s and link this to multiplication and division.

English

Children will be getting better at retelling a story and will be developing our descriptive writing of characters from the pantomime.

PE

We will be developing ability to jump in variety of ways and land with increasing control and balance, to stretch and curl to develop flexibility, to hold a position whilst balancing on different points of the body and to climb safely on equipment.

Geography

We will be looking at our local environment Fareham and its features. We will also look at the features of Wallisdean Infant School. We will learn how to communicate geographically by asking questions about the local area. We will also be making a simple map of the school and will planning an idea for the council to develop the local area.

Computing

We will learn the skills of connecting and communicating by accessing and using Google Earth and Google Maps. We will also be making a graph on the computer to show the features in our local area.
We will also be focusing on how to use the internet safely and responsibly.

Design and Technology

We will be mastering practical skills by designing and making our own winding mechanism to retell the story of the pantomime.

Science

We will continue to learn how to work scientifically and conduct a fair test, recording their findings in simple ways. They will also investigate materials.

Things to do at home:

- Read and share stories together.
- Research our local Wallisdean area.
- Support your child with their weekly homework.
- Together, have a look at Google Street View and Geograph.org.uk

Music

We will be developing our confidence and accuracy when playing percussion instruments.

RE

We will be learning about the Holi festival and remembering Vishnu.