

## Monday 23rd February 2026

Spring 1 has been a short but wonderful half term. Spring is on it's way and we look forward to the exciting learning that will take place.



### What are we learning this half term?

<b>Composition</b> Our text this half term is Mary Anning. We will be learning about her life and discoveries and writing a biography to finish the unit.	<b>Geography</b> We are learning about settlements and describing the physical and human geography of different locations.
<b>Maths</b> This term we are learning fractions and decimal points with lots of problems and reasoning tasks along the way.	<b>Science</b> As scientists we are investigating light and the different sources of light and how shadows are formed. We will learn scientific terms and vocabulary such as reflection.
<b>Reading</b> As readers we are looking at retrieving information from a text and exploring a novel called The Wood Where Magic Grows.	<b>Music</b> As musidans we are learning how to play the ukelele as a class and play different tunes to accompany a variety of songs.
<b>P.E.</b> As sports people we will be developing our perseverance by practising our sending and receiving skills.	<b>Art</b> This half term we are looking at the work of Andy Warhol and exploring how to create positive and negative images.
<b>R.E.</b> We are exploring Christianity and asking the question, What is good about Good Friday?	<b>PSHE</b> In PSHE, we will be boking at how to keep fit and healthy and keep ourselves safe.



### ClassDojo

Please ensure that you are connected to Class Dojo. Teachers have resent out links this week.

Key information will be shared on here including upcoming events (and changes to them) and messages from class teachers. You can also keep track of your children's values points that are earned throughout the school day.



### Essentials

- Water bottle
- PE kit (in school daily)
- Correct uniform
- Reading diary

### Important dates

#### March

Thursday 5th—World Book Day  
Thursday 26th—Books and Biscuits



Listen out to see if your child gains a 'West Park's Value Token' this half term!

