

Autumn Term 2020 - Year 1

English

In English this term we will be...

Listening to a range of stories including, Monkey Puzzle and The Tin Forest. We will be identifying settings and characters in stories.

Re-telling stories orally with a beginning, middle and end and writing simple sentences to re-tell events. We will be learning RWI Set 1 and 2 sounds and using these to read and spell words.

Maths

During Maths this term we will be...

Counting, ordering, reading and writing numbers to 20 and recognising the place value of these numbers.

Developing an understanding of addition and subtraction, including number bonds.

We will be comparing, describing and solving practical problems for lengths and heights. We will also begin to tell the time to the hour and half past the hour.

Science

In Science we will be learning about animals, including humans. We will be learning about our senses and the body parts we need to use them. We will be learning new vocabulary such as; carnivore, herbivore and omnivore and using them to group animals.



Computing

During this term we will begin to familiarise ourselves with 'Purple Mash'. We will learn how to search and find resources, use different icons and start to add text and pictures to work.

We will learn how to log in safely and consider ownership of log in details.

Geography:

Our Geography topic this term is...

'Our School'

We will be talking about where our school is and the surrounding area. We will use aerial images and maps to recognise landmarks, routes and basic physical features.

History

Our History topic this term is...

'My Families Memories'

We will base our topic on our own families and celebrations and events that we can recall. We will also be looking at stories and information about toys from the past, comparing them to today.



Religious Education

This term we will be thinking carefully about special celebrations.

We will talk about puzzles and mysteries that are interesting, even if we don't know 'the answers.' We will talk about stories that include mysteries and puzzling questions.

PSHE

This term we will be thinking about our school Core Values and how we can use them.

We will be thinking about families and how they are important to us because they give us love, security and stability. We will also consider differences and respect.

Music

In Music, we will be learning about the differences between pulse, rhythm and pitch through hip hop music style. We will learn how to rap and enjoy it in its original form.

We will also go on to listen and appraise other styles of music.

Physical Education

During Autumn 1, Year 1 will begin to learn about health and fitness and games that we can play to help us keep fit.

In Autumn 2, we will learn dance techniques such as 'mirroring' to complete routines linked to animals and feelings.

Art and Design/ Design Technology

In Art we will be learning to use techniques such as 'sketching' and 'tone'. We will apply these skills to create self portraits.

In Autumn 2, our D&T topic will focus on sewing. We will learn how to thread a needle and sew a running stitch.

Other Important Information

- PE will be on Mondays during Autumn 1.
- Year 1 children will be learning to ride a bike in a new program called Balanceability. This fantastic opportunity will also support children to develop balance and motor skills.

Important Dates

- Balanceability begins—Friday 11th September 2020

- Local Area Walk linked to our Geography topic—Wednesday 4th November 2020

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