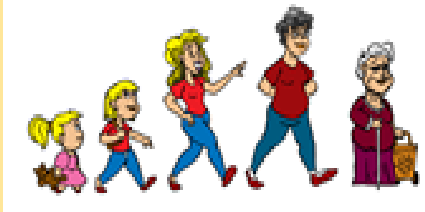


Year One Curriculum Map

Autumn Second Half Term



Changes



Our topic this term is 'Changes'.

We will look closely at how we have changed as we have grown, and how toys have changed since the 1950s

English



In English we will be learning to write a recount of our trip to the Botanic Garden which took place before half term.

We will also be learning how to write a set of instructions based on our DT project.

We use the 'Talk for Write' approach to literacy whereby the children learn to retell a story using actions, then draw a story map consisting of pictures to tell the story, which finally helps them to write the story using phonic knowledge and simple punctuation (capital letters, full stops, exclamation marks, question marks).

Maths



In maths we will be working on addition and subtraction within 10. This includes using part whole models, investigating fact families for number to 10, and using number lines to count on and count back. An important part of our learning will be to know and use all the number bonds to 10:

$0+10$, $1+9$, $2+8$, $3+7$, $4+6$, $5+5$, $6+4$, $7+3$, $8+2$, $9+1$, $10+0$.

We will also be completing lots of problem-solving activities.

Visit <https://www.topmarks.co.uk/maths-games/5-7-years/addition-and-subtraction>



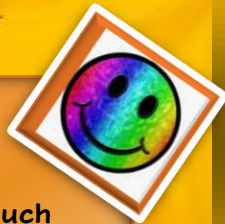
PE

- We will be improving our ball skills – such as throwing, catching, chasing, rolling, bouncing.
- We will also learn how exercise affects our bodies.



Design and Technology (DT)

- Year 1 will be learning some basic cookery skills such as how to use simple utensils and how to wash, grate, peel, slice, squeeze fruit to make a fruit cocktail.
- We will also learn about healthy eating and the importance of fruit and vegetables.



PSHE

We will be discussing issues such as

- What is in my local area?
- Why are our families important?
- Dental hygiene.



Computing

We will be learning to combine pictures and text to create a class power point of the story 'Snow White'.

An important part of our ICT lessons will be to know that children should always ask an adult before using the internet.



History

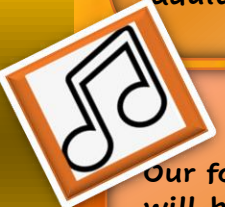
- This half term we will learn about Guy Fawkes and The Gunpowder Plot and understand why we have Armistice Day.
- We will also be finding out how toys and schools changed since the 1950s. Visit <https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/topics/zc9s6g8/articles/z2dt7yc>



RE

Our focus will be looking at what Christians believe God is like.

We will listen to the parables of the Lost Son and the Lost Sheep recognising the importance of forgiveness.



Music

Our focus over the next few weeks will be learning to follow pictures and symbols to guide singing and playing. We will also learn songs for that special time of year... Christmas!!



ART

Year 1 will become budding artists by learning about primary and secondary colours and creating abstract art.

WAYS TO HELP YOUR CHILD

Phonics takes place daily. All the sounds we are covering have been uploaded to the portfolio section of dojo and a printed copy has been sent home. Please practise these REGULARLY. Visit the following website which has a range of games to play...

<https://www.topmarks.co.uk/english-games/5-7-years/letters-and-sounds>

Alphabet song

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=5PmB3SljNdQ>

Reading simple words song

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=qWn-qxUddqo>

Phonics

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=aNcBWSBxSp0>

UNIFORM

Thank you for your support by adhering to the uniform policy, particularly ensuring that children wear appropriate footwear.

Please ensure all clothing is named!

- No earrings.

REMINDERS

WEDNESDAY – Return reading books.

THURSDAY – PE (no football strips). Waterproof trainers and hoodies needed for outdoors PE.

FRIDAY – Return spelling books.

FRIDAY – New books and spellings given out.

Homework

Reading – Reading books will be given out every Friday.

We expect that children read with an adult three times per week at home, although we do encourage children to read daily. As usual, we ask parents to help by communicating through the reading diaries, but please contact me if there are any problems.

Spellings – It is a requirement that children write their spellings 3 times each week in their spelling book.

Important Dates

December 5th – Pantomime trip

December 14th – Christmas Performance (am)

December 15th – Carol Service

December 20th – School finishes 1pm