

Year 1 Spring 1 Curriculum Leaflet

ENGLISH

In writing this term, we are looking at a range of stories. We are focusing on handwriting, formation of letters and ensuring that we can construct sentences. We are going to be introduced to different text type features such as:

Our focus will be ensuring that we use capital letters, finger spaces and full stops.

We will focus on many different books throughout the term.

PSHE

In PSHE, we are looking at dreams and goals. We will be celebrating what we are good at, what we think we are successful in and what we hope to do in the future.



ART

In the *Colour Creations* unit, children explore colour through painting and drawing. They learn how artists use colour, shape and contrast to express ideas and feelings, and they develop practical skills by creating their own artwork inspired by the artist Wassily Kandinsky.

MATHS

Throughout this term we will explore a range of maths topics. To begin, we will be looking at how to read and format numbers up to 50. We will also be looking building our confidence with arithmetic style questions, as well as addition and subtraction word problems. We will also be working on our measuring skills and looking at different 2D shapes.

RE

During this topic, we will be looking at special books. Throughout, we will be looking at what books are special and why they are special for different religions.

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Teacher
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Mrs
Hickman
TA



Mrs
Cartwright
TA



Miss Morris
Teacher
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Miss Watts
TA



COMPUTING

In computing, we will be creating pieces of art. We will be using different skills, leading up to our final piece where we will be painting over a picture.

GEOGRAPHY

In the *People and Their Communities* topic, children learn about the people around them and the places they belong to. Pupils explore what makes a community, who helps us in our local area, and how people's lives can be similar or different. This topic helps children understand their place in the world and develops early geographical and social awareness.

MUSIC



As well as learning to sign, play, improvise and compose with a song, we will be listening and appraising the song 'In the groove'

SCIENCE

In the *Polar Places* topic, children learn about some of the coldest environments on Earth and the animals that live there. Through stories, images, practical activities and discussion, children explore how living things are adapted to survive in extreme cold.

INFORMATION

15.01- Maths Parent Workshop
2-6.02 - National Storytelling Week
6.02 - NSPCC Number Day
10.02 - Safer Internet Day
9-13.02 - Children's Mental Health Week
05.03 - World Book Day
13.03 - Comic Relief