



Year 1 Autumn 1



Maths

This term in Maths we will be focusing on place value within 10 and addition and subtraction within 10. In our Maths we will be using a mastery approach throughout the year. You can support your children at home in many ways for example – practicing number formation and counting different objects.

RE

In RE we will be learning about Christianity and what Christians believe God is like. We will be telling the story of The Lost Son and will be focusing on love and forgiveness.

Computing

In computing we will be learning how to log onto the computer and Purple Mash. We will also be learning how to be safe online and the importance of keeping personal information private. Maybe you could talk about how to keep safe when using technology at home.

Phonics

We will be having daily phonics sessions, lasting 40 minutes per day. This 40 minutes also includes a guided reading session. Sounds and tricky words will be sent home to practice along with reading books.

Wednesday afternoon carousel

On a Wednesday afternoon one group of 16 children will go to the forest. The remaining children will do either art and geography or history and DT.

Geography – we will be learning about mapping around school.

Art – our focus is painting. We will be looking at primary and secondary colours, tinting and shading and creating texture.

History – we will learn about toys from the past.

DT – we will be designing and making a fruit salad.

English

We will be following an exciting new writing initiative called The Curious Quests, this is a follow on from Drawing Club that is used to inspire writing in Reception. We will have a new book each week and a mixture of fiction, non fiction and poetry to enjoy.

Music

In music we will learn about rhythm and pulse.

PSHE - Jigsaw

Being Me in Our World is our Jigsaw topic. We will think about the question 'Who I am and how do I fit?'

Science

This half term your children will be having science twice a week and will be learning about the human body and compare this with animal's bodies. What do you know about the five different senses? What happens to your body when you exercise?

