

Year 1 Newsletter



Autumn Term

In Year 1, some exciting things are happening this Autumn Term! We will be learning lots of new and exciting facts and skills. We will also be performing a Christmas Nativity. More details will be sent out soon. We hope you will be able to join us!



Writing

This term we will be looking at poetry and exploring pattern and rhyme. We will use our knowledge to write poems in different shapes! The children will also be describing settings with detail and exploring stories with familiar settings.



Maths



This term we will be working hard on developing number sense and continuing to develop our understanding of numbers to 10. We will learn how to use a part whole model and how these can help us add and subtract. We will also spend some time looking at 2D and 3D shapes and



History

In our History lessons, we will learn about changes in our lifetimes. We will compare shops in our local area and look at what shops used to be like.





Pupils will be using a range of art resources to draw, including charcoal, pencil, chalk and pastel. We will consider applying different pressures to make the marks change. We will also be exploring how to make thick and thin paint marks on a range of surfaces.

Geography

Pupils will be learning the names of the 7 continents and 5 oceans of the world as well as looking at the countries within the United Kingdom.

Science



Throughout the term, pupils will be looking at how our weather changes in different seasons. We will look in depth at the features of plants and trees. We also spend some time looking at the characteristics of living things (humans and animals).

PSHE

Our learning this term focuses on health and wellbeing. We will look at keeping safe and taking risks. The children will also consider what it means to feel safe.



DT

Our units in design this term include:

Mechanisms - designing something with a slider. Structures - How to make a structure more stable.





In RE we will learning what Christians believe about the creation of the world. We will also explore what the incarnation of Jesus and what Christians beliefs are.

PE

This term, our P.E curriculum covers:

Games Dance **Gymnastics**



Music



Computing





Languages

