

Shawclough C P School Year 1 Curriculum

Year 1 Staff Miss Barnes - Purple Class



Year 1 Staff Mrs Roebuck - Lavender Class





Year 1 Staff Mrs Pickles Miss Fleming Mrs Bahtool







Timetable -A typical morning will look like this...

Time	8:40 - 9:00am	9:00 - 10:00am			11:00 - 11:30am	11:30 - 11:45p m
Subject	Register	RWI - English	Break (Year 1 only)	Maths	Handwriting	Story

Timetable -A typical afternoon will look like this...

Time	12:45 -	1:30 -	2:00 -	2:50 -	3:10 -
	1:30pm	2:00pm	2:50pm	3:10pm	3:15pm
Subject	Topic or PSHCE	Physical Activity (No PE lesson)	Topic or RE	Story Time	Home Time



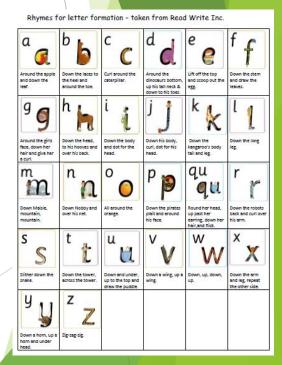
- A RWI lesson will last for 1 hour.
- It begins with a phonics session. We will be revising set 1 sounds before moving onto set 2 and finally set 3 sounds. It is a good idea to purchase these sound cards for practising at home.
- Your children will move onto a range of reading activities based around a specific coloured book. They begin with red ditty books, then green, purple, pink, orange, yellow, blue and finally grey books.
- They will also complete various writing activities, including, hold a sentence, build a sentence and big writing.
- We will not be sending reading books home at the present time.

Handwriting

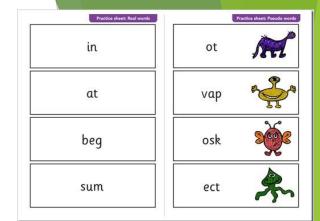


► We follow the RWI scheme for handwriting.

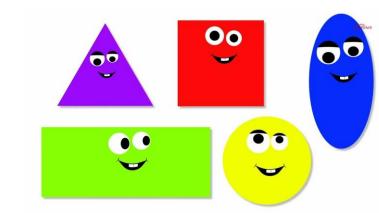
- Your child will participate in a handwriting session at least twice a week.
- We will send home the sheet with the handwriting phrases on so you can practise at home with your child.



Phonics Test June 2021



- The phonics screening check is taken individually by all children in Year 1 in England, and is usually taken in June. It is designed to give teachers and parents information on how your child is progressing in phonics.
- The children will read 40 words that include real and nonsense words and contain set 1, 2 and 3 sounds.





Maths will be a 45 minute session.

Maths

- We will begin the year working on number and place value. This will include, recognising and forming numbers, addition, subtraction and being aware of the value of a number.
- Later in the year we will look at shape, space and measures. This will include, 2D and shapes, time, length, weight and money.

Topic





- Our topics throughout the year will include;
- All About Me
- Space
- Animals
- Dinosaurs
- Plants
- Seaside Holidays
- Materials





All About Me!

- We begin the school year talking about ourselves.
- Your children will have an opportunity to talk about their likes, dislikes and what makes them special.
- They will draw pictures of themselves, on paper and also on the computers.
- We will also learn about our 5 senses, sight, smell, touch, hearing and taste by participating in various activities.



Space!

- We talk about and research the planets in the solar system.
- We discuss the moon and sun too.
- We will spend time finding out about Neil Armstrong, why he is famous and his achievements.
- We will talk about what your children would take and do if they were to visit space.

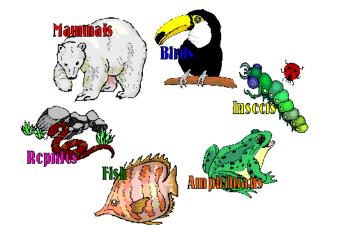




Animals



- In this topic we will talk about and find out all about the six animal groups;
- Mammals
- Reptiles
- Amphibians
- Fish
- Birds
- Insects



- This usually ends with a parents breakfast based on everything that we have learnt about the six groups.
- We are also hoping to plan a school trip to Blackpool Zoo!

Dinosaurs!





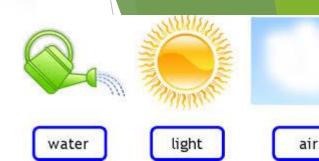
- What do your children know already?
- Your children will research various dinosaurs and their characteristics.
- We will think about what they eat. Are they herbivores, carnivores or omnivores?
- We will introduce Mary Anning, the great fossil hunter! We will find out who she is and all about her achievements.
- ▶ We will talk about fossils and look carefully at some.



Plants





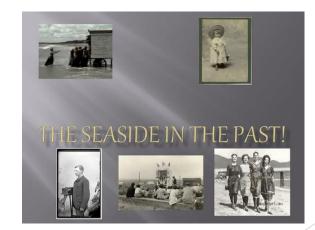


- ▶ We will be growing cress and beans.
- Your children will discuss how they will plant the cress and beans and what they will need.
- They will learn about what a plant needs to grow healthy.
- They will write instructions and keep a diary of how their beans and cress grow.
- They will be responsible for their own bean/cress, e.g watering it.

Seaside Holidays!

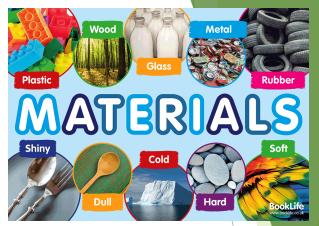
- We will talk about the features of seaside holidays. What would you see if you went to the seaside? What would you do? What would you eat?
- We will link this to seaside holidays in the past. How were they different? How were they similar?





Materials



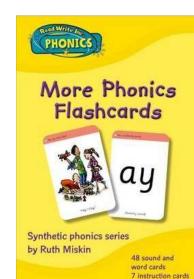


- Your children will look at the properties of a variety of materials.
- They will participate in an investigation about different materials. This will be, what is the best material to make an umbrella from?
- They will be given the opportunity to plan the investigation and think about how to do it, what they will need and predict what they think will happen.
- They will conduct the investigation in groups to answer the question and discover the best material for the job!

How parents can help at home...

- Practising sounds with your child. Begin with set 1 and we will inform you when your child begins to learn set 2 and then set 3 sounds.
- Practising forming letters correctly using the handwriting sheet.
- Counting in 1's to 100 and back again. We will send home a hundred square.
- Helping your child to recognise numbers to 20 and then 100.





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