



English

Reading - We will read every day with your child/ren during our phonics sessions.
Phonics - Will be taught every day to support recognising letters, blending and segmenting, which will support reading and spelling.
Writing - In literacy, we will be using our taught phonics to write sentences.
Grammar and punctuation - Will be taught alongside writing including accurate capital letters, finger spaces and a full stop.

Maths

We follow The White Rose Scheme of learning at Shelley First School. This term children will be taught:
Multiplication & Division
Fractions
Place Value within 100
Time
Money
Position & Direction
 Counting in 1s, 2s, 5s, 10s to 100 and number bonds to and within 10/20 will be taught and practised throughout the week.

Science

On Safari topic & Holiday topic:
 Identify and name a variety of common animals including fish, amphibians, reptiles, birds and mammals.
 Identify and name a variety of common animals that are carnivores, herbivores and omnivores.
 Describe and compare the structure of a variety of common animals.
 Distinguish between an object and the material from which it is made.
 Identify and name a variety of everyday materials including wood, plastic, glass, metal, water and rock.
 Describe the simple physical properties of a variety of everyday materials.
 Compare and group together a variety of everyday materials based on their simple physical properties.

Art and D.T

Sculptures:
 Look at the work of two sculptors 'Barbara Hepworth & Brendan Jamieson' and discuss similarities and differences.
 Design and make sculptures with a range of materials.
 Talk about their sculptures and the shapes they are using.
 Express preference for materials.
 Use known materials to make known objects for a purpose
 Use finishing techniques.
Free Standing Structures:
 Children to design, make, evaluate and show technical knowledge and understanding to create a freestanding structure.

Geography

Animals and their habitats
 Name and locate the continents: Asia, Oceania, Europe, Antarctica, Africa, North America, South America
 Describe which of these continents have significant hot and/or cold areas
 Describe specific human and physical landmarks of some of these continents
 Use specific place knowledge to describe and explain the habitat of a significant animals

History

Great inventions:
 Explore the significant events in the history of travel.
 Explore the impact that travel had on people's lives in the past and now in the future.
 Explore & learn about the first aeroplane flight (1899)
 Focus on the Rainhill Trials of Stephenson's Rocket, using sources from the time.

PSHE and RSE

Relationships
 Identify the members of my family and understand that there are lots of different types of families.
 Identify what being a good friend means to me.
 Know appropriate ways of physical contact to greet my friends.
 Recognise my qualities as a person and friend.
 Tell you why I appreciate someone who is special to me.
Changing me
 Life cycles of animals and humans.
 Explain some things that have changed about me and some things that haven't.
 Explain how my body has changed since being a baby.
 Identify parts of the body.
 Explain changes that have happened in my life.

P.E.

Year 1 children will have P.E. every Tuesday – Please send your child to school in their P.E. kits.
Orienteering
Athletics
Outdoor Learning
 Year 1 children will have Forest School every Wednesday. Please remember waterproof coats and suitable footwear. You may want to send in wellies where appropriate.

Enrichment Opportunities

GROW Gardening
 Please send your child to school with a waterproof coat, suitable footwear/wellies:
 Wednesday 25th May
 Wednesday 29th June
 Yorkshire Wildlife Park Trip – Friday 27th May
 Phonics Screening Test – w.c 9th June
 Class Assembly – Wednesday 13th July

Homework

Reading – Please read the books your child brings home little and often. There will also be a weekly reading task sent home.
Maths – A short consolidation activity will be sent home weekly. This will link to the work we have done in class.
 Please can children complete their work in their homework books. Homework will be sent home on a Friday, please can the book be returned on a Wednesday.

Thank you for your continued support. Please don't hesitate to catch me if you have a quick question or you can send me an email:

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Best wishes, Miss Barker and Mrs Ward

