

## PHONICS – Read Write Inc.

Children will be reading words and story books using the Set 1, 2 and 3 sounds that they know.  
They will write words and sentences using the sounds they know.

## ENGLISH

Using ‘Somebody Swallowed Stanley’ by Sarah Roberts.  
Children will be writing non-chronological reports about sea creatures.

## HISTORY

### How have explorers changed the world?

Children will:

- Learn about important explorers (Christopher Columbus, Ellen MacArthur, Matthew Henson and Mary Kingsley)
- Sequence events onto a timeline
- Look at important events in historical stories.

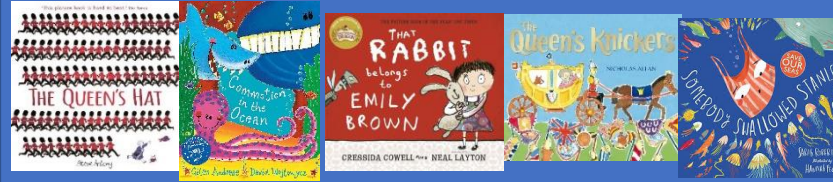
## GEOGRAPHY

## COMPUTING

### iData / iWrite

Children will use technology to create, organise, store, manipulate and retrieve digital content.  
Children will be introduced to basic word processing. They learn how to enter text and save and retrieve their work.

Some of the books we will be reading this half-term are:



Year 1

**St. Matthew's**   
CofE Primary School

## Curriculum Overview Summer Term 1

## PHYSICAL EDUCATION

### Athletics

We will be focusing on our athletics skills including running, jumping and throwing. We will also be working on teamwork during Commando Joe sessions.

## MUSIC

### Pitch (superheroes)

Children will look at a range of music and be able to identify and perform love and high notes and create and perform a musical piece.

## MATHS

The children will be learning how to multiply and divide.  
Identifying equal groups and beginning to complete repeated additions.

They will explore fractions, looking at halves and quarters, and will look at position and direction.

## SCIENCE

### PLANTS

Children will be looking at plants and trees, identifying and labelling the different parts.

We will continue to observe seasonal changes, with a focus on summer.

## ART

### Sculpture and 3D (paper play)

Children will develop skills in creating 3D structures and applying painting skills in 3D art.

## PSHE

### CITIZENSHIP

Children will explain why class and school rules are important and discuss the needs of babies, young children and pets. They will begin to recognise some similarities and differences between themselves and others.

## RELIGIOUS EDUCATION

### Baptism

We will be focusing on Baptism, and why it is special to Christians.  
We will also look at how different religions welcome a new baby.