

English including Grammar

Children will have lots of speaking and listening opportunities to talk about themselves and their families. They will learn to use capital letters when writing proper nouns and the personal pronoun 'I'. Children will learn to write lists, labels and captions. They will practise their letter formation and learn to leave spaces between words. Children will begin to punctuate sentences using a capital letter and a full stop.

Children will listen to fictional stories, including *We're Going on a Bear Hunt*, and poems. They will become familiar with key stories, fairy stories and traditional tales, retelling them and considering their particular characteristics. Children will also look at non-fiction writing, and will write their own instructions through the Talk for Writing approach.

Children will take part in a phonics scheme called Read Write Inc to improve their knowledge of sounds for reading and writing. Children will begin to spell and read the age appropriate common exception words.

Science

Materials

Children will learn to distinguish between an object and the material from which it is made. Children will identify and name a variety of everyday materials. They will describe the simple physical properties of a variety of everyday materials. Children will compare and group together a variety of everyday materials on the basis of their simple physical properties.

Children will carry out a range of investigations, sorting activities and explore their indoor and outdoor environment.

ICT and Computing

Exploring Sound

Children will be using ICT software to make, record and compose sounds and music.

Year 1 Bears

Term: Autumn 1

The Magic Toymaker and Me

PE

Dance - Children will be learning how to move in different ways.

Art & DT

We will be learning and practising drawing skills, and make our own moving toy.

Music

Children be appraising songs, singing and making music. We will also be exploring percussion instruments.

Languages

Children will be learning how to say some simple words and phrases in Mandarin.

Mathematics including Arithmetic

Arithmetic

Children will be developing their knowledge of numbers 1, 2, 3, 4 and 5. Children will be looking at number bonds to 5 and will use the +, - and = signs.

Number and place value

Children will learn to count to 100, beginning from 0 or any given number. They will count, read and write numbers to 100 in numerals.

Children will begin identifying one more and one less.

Addition and subtraction

Read, write and interpret mathematical statements involving + and - and =.

Geometry Children will be exploring, naming and identifying 2-D shapes.

Measures Children will compare, describe and solve practical problems for lengths and heights.

History & Geography

This half term we will be focusing on History, and next half term our focus will be Geography.

Children will learn about the history of toys. This will include looking at old toys and comparing them to toys today. We will be using vocabulary that describes the passing of time, and will also create a 'Toy Timeline'.

This links into our Science topic of materials and our Art topic.

RE and PSHCE

Children will be learning about RE in a weekly assembly and follow this up with class work.

Children will be following the Jigsaw scheme of work for PSHCE. This half term we will be looking at 'Being Me in My World'.