English

In English this term, Y1's core texts are *Beegu* and *Dogger*. Children will learn this term how to Write sentences with capital letters and full stops. Focus will be placed upon the use of a capital letter for the personal pronoun I in writing. Children will learn when to use capital letters for special names of people, places and the days of the week in writing. Y1 will learn the skill and practise joining two sentences

Science

This term we are learning about materials in Science, exploring the difference between an object and the material from which it is made, and naming a variety of everyday materials, including wood, plastic, glass, metal, water, and rock, whilst also exploring their

Music

Y1's first unit is called 'How Does Music Make the World a Better Place?', where we will be enjoying lots of happy songs together, and exploring tempo and dynamics. After half term we will be combining pulse. rhythm and pitch. singing songs that help us to

Art

Pupils will become familiar with the work of artists who are inspired by flora and fauna. Children will develop collage skills to explore shape and colour to build images. They will invent a unique minibeast by making choices about shape colour and composition.

Design Technology

In Spring term children will explore wheels and axles. They will plan, design, make and evaluate a moving vehicle with working wheels and axles. Children will design, make and evaluate a vehicle that includes

Come and See

Local Church – In Spring term children will focus on special people and learn that there are special people in our lives who are there to help us. Children will learn that on Sunday, in church, we meet people who do special jobs as we gather to celebrate the

PSHE/RSE

This term Year 1 will learn what rules are and why rules are important. Children will learn about caring for others and their needs. We will look at using the internet and digital devices while keeping ourselves safe online and learning about communicating online.

Year 1 Spring Term



Curriculum Enhancements

Runway Visitor Park – Manchester airport

Computing

Children will use technology to classify minibeasts. In this activity the children will learn about gathering and presenting information. They will then make their own David Attenborough style nature documentary.

You can help at home by...

- Help children to familiarise themselves with numbers 1-50, number formation, number recognition and number knowledge up to 100.
- Reading with your child at home and encouraging them to identify any special friends, diagraphs or trigraphs when decoding words.
- Reading around the topic prior to or during the

Maths

In Mathematics this term children will learn the following;

Number: children will learn addition within the range of 0-20 and subtraction within 0-20. They will focus on number and place value of numbers up to 50

Measurement: children will be introduced to length

P.E.

<u>Dance</u> - pupils will explore travelling actions, movement skills and balancing. Pupils will copy and repeat actions linking them together to make short dance phrases.

<u>Gymnastics</u> – Children will master basic movements as well as developing balance, agility and co-ordination. Children will explore and develop basic gymnastic actions on the

<u>History</u> <u>Frying Through Time</u>

How did the Wright brothers' work help us today? Year 1 will recall historical facts about the Wright brothers and the story of their historic first aeroplane flight. Pupils will recall some key facts about the Wright brothers and learn some differences between the Wright flyer and the modern aeroplane. Children will recognise some differences between the past and

Geography United Kingdom

Children will learn to locate the four countries of the United Kingdom on a map. They will identify the four capital cities and surrounding areas of the UK. They will look closely at human and physical features such as... beach, mountain, sea house, bridge and describe features of one of the UK's capital cities.