



YEAR ONE (1) AUTUMN ONE – WHAT WILL YOUR CHILD LEARN THIS HALF TERM?



ENGLISH

Main Texts will centre around stories with familiar settings. Children will learn how to sequence ideas in stories for their writing as well as sentence structure. Children will undertake daily handwriting and spelling, Phonics and Reading.

Children will continue to focus on Reading for Pleasure and Reading for Life.

MATHEMATICS

Children will learn to count, use place value, more or less, addition.

They will learn about length, days of the week and seasons.

Children will also learn about 2D and 3D shapes.

SCIENCE

Seasonal Changes Animals and Humans

Key Questions: What does seasonal mean? Children will identify seasons and how the weather changes.

What do we know about ourselves and our body? Children will identify changes as they grow, such as height, weight, age and teeth. They will look at what makes them special and unique.

GEOGRAPHY:HISTORY

Geography Key Questions: Why are we Great Britain? Where is the UK?

Children will learn what British Values mean and about diversity. They will also learn about special events that take place during this term. They will explore the emblems and flags of the countries that make up the UK. They will identify other countries of the world where some of their families come from and how they travelled to come to the UK.

History Key Question: Why do we recognise annual events?

Children will discuss the Gunpowder Plot and why we celebrate bonfire night. Children will learn about our changing high street and why some of our homes are different.

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION

Key Question: Who is a Christian and what do they believe?

Children will learn about the symbols of Christianity and explore stories, pieces of music and art to understand ideas of God and how they are expressed. Children will share their own beliefs and celebrations. They will also learn how Christians follow teachings from the Bible to live their lives.

PSHE

New Beginnings

Children will be focusing on mental health and wellbeing and British Values. Democracy will be the first value they will learn about. Children will learn about the 6Rs and also about the Zones of Regulation. They will continue to learn how to recognise and understand their emotions.



ART & DESIGN

Children will make their self-portrait using a variety of materials available to them. They will use colour, pattern, texture, line, shape form, texture to create a method of transport. They will also use the designs in nature and explore the vibrancy of colour. They will sketch and draw. They will look at the work of Andy Goldsworthy.

PHYSICAL EDUCATION

Key Question: How Can I use the skills I learnt in gymnastics to perform for an audience?

The children will explore how the body feels before and after exercise and discuss the differences in their bodies.

They will create a sequence of movements and develop basic skills of running, jumping, throwing and catching as well as developing balance, agility and co-ordination.

MUSIC – Children will learn to sing songs, play and identify instruments.

ICT - Children will learn how to use the computer and how to keep safe online.