



Termly Curriculum Overview



Year 1 Autumn 2023

English

Phonics: In Year 1 the children continue to have daily Read Write Inc. phonic and reading lessons.

During our English lessons we will:

- look at a range of stories and books of different genres, related to the topic and RE learning.
- focus on simple sentences using capital letters, full stops and finger spaces.
- continue to practise correct letter formation (printed).

History and Geography

In Geography we look at the continents of the world, including the oceans using maps and atlases.

We also learn about the countries of the UK and the capital cities.

We begin to explore weather and the changing seasons.

Maths

During the Autumn term we will be building on the children's existing number knowledge.

We will be focusing on: Number and place value, simple addition and subtraction and shape.

Science

During the first half term we will be focussing on 'This is Me'. We will learn about the different parts of the body and their uses; the five senses and how to be healthy.

Music and PE

MUSIC – Rhyme Time and Nativity performance.

PE – Ball skills and Dance

RE

During the first term we will cover the following RE topics in our new curriculum-

Creation and Covenant.

We will also cover Judaism.

DT and Art

- Our focus in art will be drawing and painting.
- DT – cooking skills

Computing

Exploring technology around us (including a keyboard and mouse)

Creating digital media (painting)

Homework

- Homework is given out on a **Friday**, to be completed by the following **Friday**.
- To begin with homework will be daily reading and two Mathematics tasks. There may also be handwriting practice.
- Weekly spellings will follow.