



Year 1/2 Curriculum Newsletter



Autumn 2026

Science

We are learning about Animals including humans.



During the term we will be exploring the changes due to the different seasons.

We will also be learning about forces and magnets.



Welcome to Year 1/2 we have lots of exciting learning planned for you this term!

Art

In Art we will be exploring clay being inspired by the work of Mark Quinn.



PE

Our PE day will be a Tuesday and Thursdays.

Please ensure you have full school PE kit in school for being outside in all weathers— including sensible footwear and a tracksuit.



English

We shall explore a range of text types this term including stories, poetry and non-fiction. Through our lessons we will explore a range of characters and settings, we will continue to practice our phonic, reading and writing skills.



Geography

We will be learning about our local area and identifying the human and physical features here as well as learning how to use and create simple maps.



Mathematics

We will work on our place value skills up to 100, addition and subtraction and shape this term. We will also practice other aspects of Maths each week. Every Thursday there will be a mental Maths test.



History

In History we will be learning about "Toys and Games" and making comparisons between the present and the past.



RE

In RE we shall be discussing who Christians say made the world and also how we care about others.



Music

We shall be learning to play instructions with or with notation. We will also use our voices as an instrument.



PSHCE

In PSHCE we shall be learning about Families and Friendships, Safe Relationships and Respecting ourselves and others.



Design Technology

In DT we will be learning to join fabrics together to make our final decoration.



Computing

We will be finding out about the technology all around us and exploring digital painting.



Homework

- Please read with your child daily.
- Children will need to complete one piece of topic / project homework per week (right hand side of the grid)
- -Children will need to practise the key spellings & key maths facts (left hand side of the grid) – these will be tested on a Thursday.

