

**YEAR GROUP:** Year 1

**DATE:** November / December 2024

**TIME ALLOCATION:** 7 weeks

**TEACHER:** Mrs Mirabatur & Miss Carr




**English**  
In English, we will be looking at letter writing. Following a sequenced approach, we will be reading the book 'Kipper's Toy Box', which we will use to support our writing. We will then be reading the book 'Beegu', and using this to write diary entries.

**Maths**  
In maths this half term, our topics are addition and subtraction. Through small steps, we will be able to solve a range of different addition and subtraction calculations. We will use a range of equipment to help us with our understanding of addition and subtraction.

**Science**  
In Science this half term, our topic is *Materials*. We will learn how to describe everyday materials and explain why certain ones are used for certain jobs. We will also continue to look at Seasonal Change.

**What is it like here?**

**Where in the  
WORLD  
do we live?**



**WHY?**

To gain a better understanding of where we live and how to locate this on a map.

<p><u>WOW:</u> Where are we in the world?</p>	<p><u>OUTCOME:</u> Children will use their geography knowledge to improve our local area.</p>
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**Computing**  
In computing this half term, we will be learning about digital painting. We will learn how to use the computer to copy artwork by well-known artists. We will be introduced to the mouse and how to use this to create a digital painting.

**Religious Education**  
Our topic in RE this half term is 'Why does Christmas matter to Christians?'

**Geography**  
We will use our geography skills to look at where we live and then focus on our school grounds and how these can be improved.

**History**  
We will not be covering history objectives this half term.

**Art and Design**  
We will be continuing with our work on mark making and studying objects to draw carefully.

**Design Technology**  
We will not be covering DT this term.

**Music**  
In our music lessons, we will be talking about tempo.

**Physical Education**  
This half term, we will be focussing on fundamental movement skills in a range of different sports.

- SMSC**
- Have respect for the beliefs and values of others.
  - Work well with others and deal with conflict maturely.
  - Use of imagination and creativity in their learning.
  - Recognise the difference between right and wrong.
  - Offer reasoned views about moral and ethical issues.
  - Understand and appreciate the wide range of cultural influences that have shaped their own heritage.

- BRITISH VALUES**
- Democracy
  - The rule of law
  - Individual liberty
  - Mutual respect
  - Tolerance of those of different faiths and beliefs

- TOPIC HOMEWORK**
- Spellings
  - Times Tables
  - Reading
  - Homework Sheet

**ASSESSMENT**

Children will be assessed in all areas of the curriculum, focusing on key skills taken from across the curriculum.