

Year 1 Curriculum Newsletter

Spring 2

PSHE

We are exploring online safety and the technology around us. We will identify our own strengths and the strengths of others. We will be looking at different jobs in the community and understanding the importance of kindness.

Phonics

We will be learning:
Unit 22 /ew/ spelling
Unit 23 /oy/ sound
Unit 24 /ar/ sound
Unit 40 /f/ sound
Unit 49 /eer/ sound

Music

We will be listening to Round and Round, which is Bossa Nova Latin style. We will be singing and playing instruments.

Reading



Design and Technology

We will investigate different materials, before planning and making our own spaceship. We will be using a variety of methods to join our materials together. We will evaluate our masterpieces and consider the improvements we can make.

Maths

We will be learning about the place value in numbers to 50. We will be exploring length, height, mass and volume. We will be challenging ourselves with reasoning and problem solving questions.

Writing

We will be writing retellings and innovating our own versions of our texts. We will be starting to join our letters and focusing on spelling common words correctly.

Computing

We are making animated stories using Purple Mash. We will ensure that they move and we will enhance our stories by adding music.

PE

We will be developing our ball skills, while playing games. We will be enhancing our fitness, while performing a sequence of movements in a circuits.

History

We are learning about what makes somebody famous. We will be then finding about Neil Armstrong and his Moon Landing.

Geography

We will be finding the differences between villages, towns and cities. We will be learning our address and will be naming and locating the 4 countries of the UK.

RE

We are learning about the importance of Easter to Christians. We will be finding out about the different days leading up to Easter and their traditions.

Science

We are naming and describing properties of materials. We will look at man-made and natural materials. Finally, we will investigate the best material to make an umbrella.