

English

- Children will develop skills to make a 'golden sentence'.
- Children will develop their phonic skills.
- Handwriting will be practised regularly using the St John's cursive script.
- Children shall explore fiction and non-fiction books. They will write their own stories based on a class story book, where the focus will be on writing a beginning, middle and end.
- They will use drama to inspire their writing.

RHE

- Children will develop their understanding of what it means to have a caring friendship.
- They will learn about courtesy and good manners.
- They will understand that everyone is unique and different and that we must recognise and value those differences.
- Children will recognise their worth as individuals and building up their self-esteem.

RE

- Children will learn about Judaism
- Children will explore Jewish artefacts and symbols.
- They will find out about Jewish worship and the different types of celebration. They will have the opportunity to share how they celebrate with their families.

Toys: Changes through generations

Year 1 Autumn Term 1



Science

- Children will be taught to observe changes across the four seasons.
- They will observe and describe weather associated with the seasons and how day length varies.

Children will work scientifically by:

- asking simple questions and recognising that they can be answered in different ways
- observing closely, using simple equipment
- gathering and recording data to help in answering questions
- using their observations and ideas to suggest answers to questions
- record and communicate their findings in a range of ways and begin to use simple scientific language.

History

- Children will learn the key differences between toys in the past and toys today.
- We will focus on family favourite toys and then move back through time looking at 20th century toys and then Victorian toys.
- We will learn about important changes in toys and games over the years.

Maths

- Children will develop their understanding of place value within 10
- They will continue to develop their addition and subtraction skills, including solving calculations with missing numbers, commutative law and learning about the inverse. In addition, their number bonds to 10.
- Children will develop their understanding of place value within 20 and their number bonds to 20.
- Children will learn about 2D and 3D shapes and their properties.

P.E.

- **Dance:** children will respond to a range of stimuli. Children will make different shapes as well as create different patterns in the air and on the floor.
- **Games:** children will develop their ball skills.

Art and design

- Children will design and make a model of a 'toy' that needs to be able to stand up.
- They will explore different materials.
- They will develop an understanding of how to make their toys more stable.

Music

- Children will explore sounds.
- They will develop an understanding of rhythm and tempo.

Year 1 Reminders

Please hand in homework on Google Classroom on Tuesdays. Homework will be set every Thursday. Please ensure your child wears the correct PE kit on Wednesday.