

Science

This term Science will cover Animals, including humans. We will begin by looking at our body and senses and move on to animals. Seasonal Changes is covered throughout the year. Science will be taught on a Monday afternoon.

History

In History we will be focusing on The Gun Powder Plot, introducing Guy Fawkes and the link to Bonfire night. History will be taught on a Monday afternoon

Geography

In Geography, we will be looking at 'What a Wonderful World' which looks at the 7 continents and 5 oceans, different climates and using Ariel photographs. Geography will be on a Tuesday afternoon.

PE

This Year P.E. is being taught by Miss Dunning on a Thursday afternoon. This term she is focusing on throwing and catching skills and dance.

Literacy

In Literacy we will start with the book 'Funny Bones', with a focus on story telling. We will also be writing instructions and reading some poetry as part of our All About Me topic. We will move on to look at Traditional Tales, with a focus on character and describing.

Mathematics

In Maths we will start by looking at place value. We will then move on to cover addition and subtraction and measurements. After half-term we will be covering multiplication and division, shape and fractions.

Computing

This term we will begin by looking at online safety, followed by effective searching, lego builders and technology outside school. ICT will be on a Friday afternoon.

Music

Music will be on a Wednesday afternoon. We are learning lots of songs and learning to sing a tune accurately and creating sounds including using musical instruments.

RE

We will be focusing on using Music through R.E, and we begin with 'Living in Harmony: how do we show we care?' which focuses on our emotions. RE will be on a Tuesday afternoon.

PSHE

PSHE will continue to be taught by Mrs Lealman on a Thursday afternoon. She will be covering our body and our emotions.

All About Me & Traditional Tales Autumn 2018

Dear Class 1 Parents/carers,

We are lucky to have Miss Dunning joining us this year. She will be teaching Year 1 and 2 children on a morning in the downstairs classroom, with Miss Kirk and Mrs Lealman teaching Year 1 and 2 on an afternoon with the Reception children. We are very much looking forward to working with you all over the coming year and as always, if you have any suggestions or questions then please do let us know.

Just as a reminder, the door opens at 8:45am for children to come straight into their classrooms. Register is taken at 9am ready for lessons to begin and children will be marked down as 'late' if they arrive to school after 9am.

Miss Kirk, Mrs. Lealman and Miss Dunning.

PE and Clothing

For P.E. all children require a pair of trainers or plimssoles, a white top and a black pair of shorts. Jogging bottoms and a jumper would be useful for outdoor PE particularly as the weather starts to get colder.

If any spare school clothing is borrowed, could we please ask that it is returned to school a.s.a.p.

If ALL items of clothing can have names clearly marked in them, it really helps with returning items to the correct person.

Parent and child activity ideas to do at home:

Regular reading outside of school will really help them build confidence and fluency in reading. Reading the books your child brings home supports the learning they are doing in school as they will be practising the sounds they have learnt during their daily phonics sessions. Children will also have one homework sheet to complete every week. This will be a short Maths or English task and will be set on a Friday and collected the following Thursday. Please do not hesitate to ask if you have any questions.