Year 1

Spring Term

You can help your child to enjoy and contribute to discussions in class by visiting areas of interest related to their learning.

English



We will be sharing a wide range of texts, including traditional tales, as a stimulus for our own writing. Our stories will include Wild and Beegu. Children will identify the features of a range of texts, including non-fiction and use these as models to write their own. Children will use the sounds they know to spell words as well as learning common tricky word spellings.

Phonics
Children will continue to explore set 2 sounds and will begin set 3 sounds.

Maths



Children will investigate a range of topics including:
- Counting beyond 20.
- Place value of 2 digit numbers.
- Number bonds to 10/20.
- Addition and subtraction.
- Multiplication.
- Problem solving.
- Money.
- Measures.
- 3D shapes.

Science



Material
Children will name different materials and identify which material objects are made from. They will investigate the properties of different materials and explore school on a materials hunt!

Art & Design



Artist: Monet
We will be exploring the works of Claude Monet through a range of media including painting, pastels and computer programs.

Computing



Children will learn to create a document and modify and save it. Children will visit the Open Zone and will what an algorithm is and create simple programs using coding toys.

P.E.



Ball games
Children will develop skills including ball skills; throwing and catching with a coach.

Gymnastics
Chn will learn to roll in a range of ways safely with a coach.

Humanities



Geography
Children will learn about the four countries that make up the UK. They will investigate local landmarks, geographical and human features.

PSHE



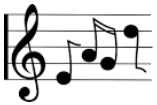
Children will talk about people who they can ask for help both in school and at home.

R.E.



Children will be inroduced to parables from the Bible. We will be learning about the Easter story and making Palm crosses.

Music



Instruments
Children will be using tuned and untuned instruments to accompany simple songs. Children will be able to recognise a beat and clap along independently.