

Maths will include:

- Counting to 100.
- Finding one more and less of a number.
- Recognising common 2D shapes.
- Writing numbers in words and digits up to 20.
- Number bonds to 10.

Science:

Our Science topics this term are Plants, Seasonal Changes, The Human Body and Our Senses. We will be labelling parts of the body, identifying the senses and learning about different parts of plants.

Religious Education:

This term we will be focusing on Christianity. The children have started learning about Harvest festival and will be looking at the importance of Christmas and how Christians celebrate it after half term.

Don't Forget

- Spellings and sight word lottos will be sent home weekly. There is a big focus on spelling and phonics in the National Curriculum so it is important that you practise these regularly.
- Homework is sent home every Friday and it is important it is completed by Wednesday.
- Please listen to your child read for at least 15 minutes everyday.
- Please make sure your child has their PE kit every week and that all items of clothing are clearly labelled. (Tuesday/Wednesday PE days)
- **No jewellery (apart from religious jewellery) or nail varnish to be worn.**
- Please ensure that your child has a water bottle everyday. Bottles will be sent home on Fridays.
- If you would like to contribute a box of tissues for your child's class, it would be very much appreciated.

Dear Parents/Carers

Welcome to Year 1! It was great to see so many of you at the 'Meet the Teacher' morning. We had great feedback and are looking forward to a fantastic year.

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Topic: Step Back in Time
**Value of the term:
Empathy**

PHSE:

We have a weekly Circle Time where we discuss issues and topics relevant to our individual class. We will also be discussing safety at home and personal safety.

English will include:

- Caption writing.
- Information writing.
- Speech bubbles.
- Narrative.
- Poetry
- Books will be set on Active Learn (Bug Club) termly.

We will be practising our phonics daily.

Computing

We will be focussing on the importance of E-safety in Computing and learning how to create images using digital programmes.

Topic:

Our theme this term is Step Back in Time. We will be exploring dinosaurs, our families, transportation as well as many other topics. We will be starting by creating artwork and pamphlets about dinosaurs.

We look forward to working with you and your children this year. If you have any further questions or queries, please make an appointment with your class teacher after school.

The Year 1 Team