

English

In English we will be using our topic based texts to write simple sentences. We will be focussing on using capital letters, full stops and finger spaces as well as using our phonics skills to spell words. We will be looking at a poems as well as stories as a stimulus for our writing. Some of our topic books are Tidy, Lost and Found and Meerkat Mail.

Maths

In Year 1 this term we will be exploring number and place value to help us recognise and write numbers and to count forwards and backwards. We will also exploring ways to represent numbers such as with physical resources. We will begin exploring addition and subtraction and looking at the relationship between these two operations and learn new methods to help us with these.

How you can help at home

1. Remember to read with your child at home. We will be sending reading materials home but feel free to read your own books too.
2. Complete weekly home learning.
3. Visit the library with your child and encourage them to read exciting books.
4. Practice writing sentences with your child e.g. shopping lists, letters. Also practice writing their common exception words



Year 1 Topic Map

Autumn

Autumn Leaves

Snow and Sand



PSHE and British Values

In PSHE we will be looking at who are trusted adults are in school. We will also be looking at what is a family and what are friendships. We will also be looking at how to fix conflicts in friendships and respecting and recognising other people's emotions.

Foundation Subjects

Geography- In geography we will be looking at our school grounds and our local park. We will be collecting data and conducting fieldwork about our areas.

Vocab: data, fieldwork, features, collection

Art- In art we are going to be looking at drawing and mark making. We will also be using clay to create penguins.

Vocab: Pinch, mould, roll, sketch

Computing- In computing we are going to be learning about computers, what a computer is and how to use a computer

Vocab: computer, monitor, mouse, iPad

PE- In PE we are taking part in gymnastics and playground games. Mr Spackman and Mr Wells will be supporting us with this.

Music: In music we are going to be looking at pieces of music to match with our snow and sand topic to create our own music that reminds us of snow and sand.