



Curriculum Overview — YEAR 1

Spring 2 2019



English

This half term the children in Year 1 will be reading:

- Dinosaurs Love Underpants
- What the Dinosaurs did last night
- Non-Fiction texts

The children will learn how to write:

- Character descriptions
- Setting descriptions
- Dinosaur stories
- Facts sheets about different Dinosaurs
- Recounts
- Letters



RE

The children will learn the significance of:

- Shrove Tuesday (Pancake Day)
- Lent
- Palm Sunday
- Easter



Learning Journey

History

- Year 1 will be learning all about Mary Anning during their History lessons. She was an amazing Fossil Hunter!



During D&T the children will:

- Create Dinosaur sunset pictures
- Make Dinosaurs using junk modelling
- Sketch Dinosaur skeletons

Easter



During Week 7, Year 1 will be learning about Easter in their RE lessons and will also be getting creative by making Easter cards, 3D baskets filled with eggs and making chocolate nests!

Science

Materials

The children will learn to :

- Describe the simple physical properties of a variety of everyday materials by making slime and dyeing materials
- Compare and group together a variety of everyday materials on the basis of their simple physical properties
- Observe closely, using simple equipment when dyeing materials, making slime and making bubbles
- Ask simple questions and recognise that they can be answered in different ways when completing experiments
- Use their observations and ideas to suggest answers to questions
- Gather and record data to help in answering questions

Maths

The children will be learning about:

Place value numbers to 50

- Counting to 50
- Numbers to 50
- Representing numbers to 50
- Comparing numbers of objects

Length and Height

- Comparing lengths and heights
- Non-standards units of measure
- Measuring length using a ruler
- Solving word problems—length

Weight and Volume

- Comparing weight
- Measuring weight
- Comparing weight using measuring
- Comparing capacity
- Measuring capacity

Multiplication

- Counting in 10s, 5s and 2s
- Making equal groups
- Adding equal groups
- Making simple arrays
- Making doubles
- Solving word problems



Topic: Dinosaur Planet

Music

Round and Round

- Listen and Appraise—Round and Round
- Vocal warm ups
- Warm up games—Round and Round
- Learn to sing—Round and Round
- Perform the Song—Round and Round

PSHE

- PATHS / Helpfulness
- CORE Values—Week 1

Collaboration—Making sandwiches together

Opportunity—Clay models of 'What I want to be when I am older'

Respect—Making Elmer

Excellence—Things that we're good at

- Mother's Day—Why do we celebrate Mother's Day?

Computing

We are Celebrating

In this unit, Year 1 will have the opportunity to create a digital greetings card, which could be used for a religious festival such as Easter, pupils' birthdays, or simply to say thank you or good luck.

At home:

Please ensure that your child knows how to keep safe whilst using the internet.

Dates

05.03.2019—Pancake Day

31.03.2019—Mother's Day

PE

The children will learn to:

- Participate in team games, developing simple tactics for attacking and defending

This half term children will take part in a skipping contest during March.



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