

Curriculum	Y1 Autumn Term 1 Learning
English	Writing - poetry <i>We will be using 'Firework Night' by Andrew Collett as a stimulus for our own poem about Bonfire Night. We will be focussing on using spaces between words, capital letters, and stops. We will have a handwriting focus to ensure children are forming letters correctly and placing them in the correct position in the line.</i> Reading <i>We will continue their phonics learning. Phonics is split into groups to ensure children's needs are met. We will continue to be taught to blend words with single letter sounds and digraphs. We will share a wide variety stories and poems that will develop our comprehension and vocabulary.</i> Grammar <i>We will be taught about noun, proper nouns and adjectives. We will be taught the Rainbow grammar structure of sentences e.g. subject, predicate and stop.</i>
Mathematics	Addition and subtraction within 10 <i>In this unit we will be taught to represent and explain addition and subtraction, commutativity and addition and subtraction facts.</i> Shapes and patterns <i>In this unit we will learn to identify, describe, sort and classify 2-D and 3-D shapes. Investigate repeating patterns and use and follow instructional and positional language</i>
Science	Everyday Materials <i>In this unit we will be identifying different materials and describing their properties. We will be sorting materials based on their properties and testing materials for their properties.</i>
History	How am I making history? <i>In this unit we will be developing an understanding of personal chronology. We will learn about our own history and how we remember events. We will also find out what childhood was like for our parents and grandparents and then compare it with our own. We will then look at how some things change and some things stay the same.</i>
PE	Dance <i>In this unit we will explore travelling actions, movement skills and balancing. We will understand why it is important to count music and use this in our dances. We will copy and repeat actions linking them together to make a short dance phrase.</i> Ball Skills <i>In this unit we will explore and develop fundamental ball skills such as throwing and catching, rolling and dribbling with hands and feet. We will learn how to perform these skills with increasing control and accuracy.</i>
Computing	Getting to know Purple Mash <i>In this unit we will be learning how to use the Purple Mash programme in preparation for the rest of our computing learning throughout the year.</i> Online Safety <i>This half term we will be learning how to transition from an online activity to an offline activity and learning a simple routine for how to manage digital interruptions. We will also learn about how images can get shared more widely than you first expect, and the importance of consent.</i>
DT	Textiles - puppets <i>In this unit we will be joining fabrics together using pins, staples or glue, design a puppet and using a template, joining two puppets' faces together as one and decorating a puppet to match a design.</i>
RE	Christianity <i>We will be exploring the significance of the Christmas Story.</i>

Music	Singing <i>This half term we will be learning the songs ready for our Christmas performance of 'Prickly Hay'.</i>
PSHCE	Health and wellbeing <i>In this unit we will be learning about how to stop the spread of germs by washing our hands. We will learn about how to keep safe in the sun. We will also learn about how some people are allergic to certain foods and that a good night's sleep helps our bodies to repair and grow.</i>