

Year 1 - Autumn 2 Curriculum Map

Winter Wonderland

In **Science** we will be looking at everyday materials and describing their properties.

In **PE** we will be starting our gymnastics unit. We will be learning different shapes, holds, rolls and balances. PE days will be Thursday and Friday.

In **Music**, we will be preparing for our Christmas performance.

For **PSHE** we will be continuing with My Happy Mind. We will be celebrating our Character Strengths.



In **DT** we will be designing, making and evaluating a fruit kebab.

In **RE** we will be looking at 'Nativity journey'. In this unit we will be thinking about different journeys we have been on and how we felt. We will be looking at the different journeys that took place during the Nativity story.

Writing:

This half term we will be looking at Firework poems, One Snowy Night and The Emperor of the Ice.

Handwriting:

This will be a big focus throughout the year. Children will be encouraged to form letters correctly, ensuring consistent size and shape. This will be a daily activity in school and please practise lower and upper case handwriting at home.

Read, Write Inc:

The children will be continuing to follow the Read, Write Inc. programme remaining on the colours they ended on during Year R. They will then be reassessed at the end of the half term to allow them to move colour groups if appropriate.

In **Computing**, we will be learning how to use Purple Mash. They will create their own avatar, create pictures and learn how to save their work. We will also be talking about how we can stay safe when using computers.

Maths

- To count in 2s, 5s and 10s
- Recognise, find and name a half as two equal parts of an object, shape, or quantity.
- Recognise and name common 2D and 3D shapes
- Count to and across 100, forwards and backwards, beginning with 0 or 1, or from any given number.
- Given a number, identify one more and one less.
- Read, write and interpret mathematical statements involving addition (+), subtraction (-) and equals (=) signs.
- Represent and use number bonds and related subtraction facts within 20. Solve one-step problems that involve addition and subtraction



In **History** we will be learning about the Gunpowder Plot. We will be looking at the key people involved in the plot and why they wanted to kill the king. We will also be thinking about why 'Bonfire Night' is celebrated with fireworks and why a 'guy' is put on top of the bonfire.