

# Half-Term Curriculum Overview



Year 1 Summer 2021

## Mathematics

- Count forwards and backwards 0–100.
- Read and write numbers 0–100 as words and numerals.
- Represent and use number bonds and related subtraction facts within 20.
- Add and subtract one-digit and two-digit numbers to 20, including zero.
- Find and name half or a small quantity of shape or measure.
- Use uniform non-standard units of measure.
- Describe position.

### Number Facts

- Count in 2s, 5s and 10s.
- Simple multiplication and division.

## English

### Reading:

- Stories and chants from other cultures—Africa.
- Compare fiction and non-fiction.

### Writing:

- Describing a character using adjectives.
- Use descriptive language to compare settings.
- Write a non-chronological report.

### Grammar

- Use ing, ed, er and est where no change is needed in the spelling of root words.
- Question marks, exclamation marks.
- Joining sentences using 'and'.

### Handwriting

- Continue to join letters.

## Science

This half-term our Science topic is 'Forces'.

The children will:

- Learn about forces and energy.
- Handle toys and objects, investigating pushes and pulls.

## Homework

**Spelling**—New spelling lists will be sent home each Tuesday, to be tested on the following Monday. Spelling sentences to be put into homework book and handed in by Friday.

**Maths**—Schofield and Sims workbook— sections to be completed weekly. Reinforcement Maths as required.

**Reading**— Listen to your child read every day. Discussion of the text and vocabulary essential for comprehension skills.

Encourage your child to 'sound out' words. If your child does not know a word, read the page to your child.

**Other**—certain 'Find Out' homework will be sent home on occasion. Comprehension tasks.

## History, Geography and R.E

### History

- Learn about toys from the past. Compare our toys with our parents' and grandparents'.
- Set up the *Year 1 Toy Museum*.

### Geography

- Find out what countries, patron saints and capital cities make up the United Kingdom.
- Compare the physical landscape of United Kingdom with Kenya and other parts of Africa.
- Learn about the Masai tribe. Learn about the animals and features of the African Savannah.

### RE

- Precious books. Judaism.

## Music

Year 1 will rehearse a special socially-distanced performance of "Chicken Licken". Reception and Year 1 will be the performers while Year 2 are our in-house ukulele orchestra!

## Computing

This half term, Year 1 are focusing on their new topic of Data Handling. Children will understand what data is and how to represent data using the computer, with the main focus being pictograms.

Over the course of the half term, children will create, input and store data in the computer.

## French

The children will learn names for various illnesses with the song about a donkey who is suffering! They will also learn about the *deux petits bonshommes*. What forest fruits do they collect on their travels?

Finally, the children will continue to line up, military style, for PE with: *Mettez vous en rang*.

## Physical Education

Ball Skills

Athletic Activities

## Key Dates

TBC



The door is always open or you could contact me using the class email address.

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