

### Class 1 – Summer 1 Information



**Our Class Staff** 

Miss Whittaker- Class Teacher Mrs Horrigan- Teaching Assistant Mrs Maden- Teaching Assistant

We are reading



Please remember to check parent/carer letters for upcoming events.

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Homework

Please read as much as possible at home. We carefully choose reading books each week to compliment sounds taught in Phonics. This helps the children to apply and reinforce their learning and are fully decodable.

Each week, your child will bring home a set of tricky words to learn to read on sight. Please learn to read these words before a new set is given.

### P.E Days

P.E will take place on a Monday and Tuesday afternoon. Please ensure all kit is clearly labelled.





### **English**

We will begin our English unit by researching information about London. We will then compare the London of today and 1666, using past and present tense. We will then use drama to help the children to explore the experiences of Londoners during The Great Fire of London. We will end the unit by creating our own mini-London Museum in class. For our next writing unit we will read the story 'Beegu' where a friendly alien is on the loose. The children will write their own narrative based on the story shape of Beegu.



Use the QR to access a fun game to help with segmenting and blending.

### Vocabulary

scared panicky petrified hysterical horror-struck

#### Focus EYFS

 Write simple phrases and sentences that can be read by others.

#### **Grammar Focus Year 1**

- To use 'because' to extend sentences.
- To use adjectives to describe.
- To write in the past and present tense.
- To use adverbials to express time e.g. after, before.



### **Mathematics Year 1**

We will kick off our mathematics by developing our understanding of multiplication and division. We will practise counting in 2s, 5s and 10s before learning how to make arrays to multiply and equal groups to divide. Later in the term, we will look at money where we will learn to recognise and count coins and notes. Finally, we will develop our understanding of time.

Are the groups equal or unequal?

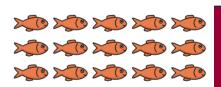
Vocabulary

array
double
group
total
tours
minutes
seconds

### **Mathematics EYFS**

EYFS will continue to become 'Mathemagicians' as they develop their understanding of 20 and beyond. We will practise verbal counting, number patterns and building numbers.

Here are some arrays.

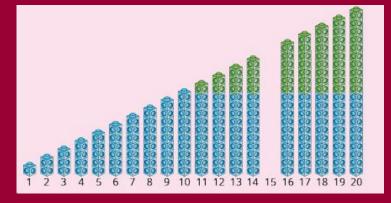














### Science

In Science, our topic will be 'Materials'. We will describe the properties of different materials, such as transparent, brittle and rigid. We will also look at scientists famous for their inventions with different materials, such as the Macintosh raincoat and the pneumatic tyre. We will also enjoy going on a material hunt around our school as well as other investigations.



### Vocabulary

properties
hard
soft
waterproof
absorbent
transparent
opaque



Scottish chemist and inventor of waterproof fabric. His process involved painting a dissolved rubber solution into cloth. The Macintosh raincoat is named after him.





### History

In History, we will be gripped by the events of The Great Fire of London. We will contrast fire-safety from the past with today. We will study the buildings of the period and be enthused by the famous diarists Samuel Pepys and John Evelyn. We will use their diaries to inspire us to write our own diary entries.

Vocabulary



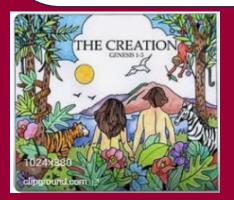






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In this unit, the children will develop their perceptions and understanding of God. They will have an opportunity for reflection on feelings of awe, wonder, delight and mystery in relation to the natural world. They will also explore what people of Muslim and Hindu faith believe about how the world was created.





### Vocabulary

Creation
God
Genesis
pollution
world
environment

#### By the end of this unit pupils will know that:

- Christians, Muslims, and Hindus believe that God created the world.
- the creation stories are at the very beginning of the Bible and be able to recall details briefly.
- Christians, Muslims, and Hindus believe that people should be taking care of
- Christians, Muslims, and Hindus believe that in creation we can see the power and wonder of God.

#### By the end of this unit pupils are expected to be able to:

- talk about what they find amazing, interesting or puzzling in creation.
- understand that they are creative beings and enjoy their creative skills.



### **PHSE**

In PHSE, we will learn about what money is used for and how to keep money safe. We will explore choices people make about money and develop and understanding of how banks work. We will also describe what different people do in their job.



### Vocabulary

bank cash earn job money notes



People use money to pay for things they want and need.



It is important to keep money safe.



Banks help keep money safe and secure.



People have jobs to earn money.



There are lots of different jobs people do.



### Art

Mrs Parkinson teaches our Art lessons each week. In Art, we will be using the story of 'Stickman' to complete a stick transformation project, We will use drawing, painting and sculpture.

### PE

In PE, we will be developing our striking fielding skills and will learn about net and wall games.



The wolf crept into the house.

### Computing

We will be creating our own animated story books. We will practise drawing and creating a story and will then add animation and sound.

### Music

In Music, we will be learning folk songs and creating sounds to represent three contrasting landscapes: seaside, countryside and city.