

## Phonics/English:

As readers and writers we will continue with our daily Phonics. When we are ready we will start to construct sentences and focus on punctuation. We will be encouraged to use our creative ideas to produce our own pieces of writing. We will bring our spellings home to practise.



## Reading:

As Readers we are going to enjoy sharing, re-telling and discussing the following texts each week:

- We are going on a Bear Hunt.
- The 3 Little Pigs.
- The Great Explorer.
- The Tiger Who Came to Tea.
- Goodnight Spaceman.
- The colour Monster
- The Rainbow Bear.

## PE:



Our PE lessons this term will focus on developing our throwing and catching skills. We will also be following the Real PE scheme of work where we will focus on balance and co-ordination.

## Art/DT:



As Artists we will be studying the portrait of Francis Drake and using this to paint our own portrait using various styles and mediums.

In DT we will make some survival bread for 'The Great Explorer'. We will also design and make our own Moon Buggy to present to Tim Peake to use on his next mission. To acknowledge Sir Francis Drake's findings about scurvy we will also be making a healthy fruit salad.

## Maths:

Our Year 1 Mathematicians will be taught by Mrs Crane.

This term we will be covering:

- Counting in 2s, 5s, and 10s.
- Counting on and counting back.
- Number bonds to 10.
- 2D and 3D shapes.
- Coin recognition and
- O'clock times.

## Autumn Term 2020

To our super Year 1s,  
We are so excited to have you in Class 1. We will be learning about our fascinating topic: 'Explorers'. We hope you are ready!

Mrs Symonds and Miss Featherstone



## RE:



Our RE sessions will focus on 'being special' and 'belonging'. In the second half term we will focus on Christianity and explore this Key Question: 'Why does Christmas matter to Christians?'

## PSHCE:



We will be focusing on 'Marvellous Me' as our 'Show and Tell'. We also have daily 'Star Helpers' as well as opportunity for the children to begin nominating their classmates for an achievement tree leaf.

## History:

As Historians we will be asking questions and finding out the answers about the lives of Sir Francis Drake and Tim Peake. We will identify what is different and what is similar about their lives. We will celebrate their achievements.

## Geography:

We will start our journey as Geographers by finding 'landmarks' in the school grounds. We will use a map to help us locate these landmarks which will lead us to the hidden treasure. We will use these map skills to help us locate the 7 continents and 5 oceans on a world map.

## Science:

We will use our Forest School sessions to be scientists and learn about seasons. We will also be exploring materials and their properties.

## Computing:



As ICT technicians we will practise our programming skills. This will start with giving and following instructions to a friend before moving on to working with a robot.

## Music:



As musicians we will be looking at how pulse, rhythm and pitch work together through the style of Reggae and 'Old School' Hip Hop music.

## Spanish:



As linguists we will focus on greetings, numbers, colours and feelings through songs, role play and games.