Parent Curriculum Information Sheet Spring Term 2023-24

Year 1 Miss Boston and Mrs Hine



As readers and writers, the children will build on their phonics knowledge from the Autumn term, continuing with the Read Write Inc scheme. They will consolidate sounds they already know, whilst learning new ones and develop their fluency. They will be developing their stamina in writing and apply their phonics knowledge across a range of texts. They will be able to do this through a class story that we will read and work on together. The children will also work on refining their cursive handwriting.

As mathematicians, the children will be focusing on number, place value and addition and subtraction. They will be learning to count and order numbers to 50, exploring the value of these numbers in different contexts - a range of images will be used to support with this. They will be gaining confidence to count in 2s, 5s, 10s and to know their number bonds to 20.

As scientists, the children will learn about animals including humans. They will explore key human body parts, research what animals need to survive and investigate the different categories and ways in which we can sort animals.

As geographers, the children will be developing their understanding of our local area. They will look at a map of our school and draw their own using symbols. They will identify key human and physical features, finding these when undertaking a local walk.

As theologians (R.E), the children will research 'Who is Jewish and how do Jews live their lives?' They will learn about Judaism and look at what it means to be part of this community.

As sports people, the children will be developing their ball skills. They will be learning to control the ball whilst dribbling it with their feet and using their hands to control it. During our indoor based PE lessons, the children will develop their ability to make curled, wide and narrow shapes and how to move their bodies in a range of ways.

As citizens (PSHE), the children will learn about how to stay healthy, how to stay safe online and learn more about their emotions. **As computer scientists**, the children will learn how to programme a small robot - collecting and grouping data.

As artists, the children will undertake observational drawings, using influences from Arcimboldo.

As technologists, the children will learn how to build a solid structure. They will learn how to create joins when making houses.

As musicians, the children will listen, respond, compose and perform, using a range of instruments.

- Please ensure that your child has their reading book and diary in school every day.
- Please ensure that your child has their PE kit in school every day.

Thank you so much for your continued support and if you have any questions, please feel free to contact us.