



# We love to learn in Year 1!

## SCIENCE

The children will be learning about plants, including answering questions such as:  
 How do plants grow?  
 Where do plants come from?  
 Does a **bulb** have underground vertical shoots which already have modified leaves?  
 Do seeds and bulbs need water to grow?  
 Do seeds and bulbs have food stores inside them to help the plant start to grow?

## GEOGRAPHY

The children will learn about the Weather and the Seasons. How would we dress for Winter?  
 They will begin to identify hot and cold places and use maps to identify where in the world these places are.  
 They will identify seasonal and daily weather patterns in their locality as well as in the UK. They will use the geographical features within the school grounds to identify what season it is.  
 They will identify the clothes you would wear for the different seasons.  
 They will make measurements and record the weather.

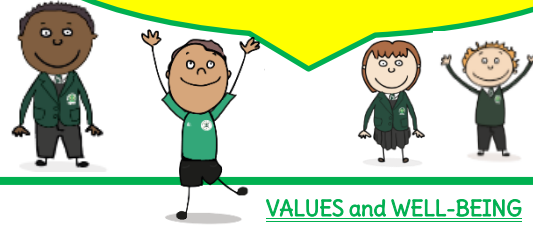
## ART and MUSIC

### Art

Colour creations

The children will explore different colours and find the objects that are associated with them.  
 They will mix primary colours to create secondary colours. They will produce work based on the work of Kandinsky.

Music – Charanga Unit 4  
 Round and Round (Latin)



## VALUES and WELL-BEING

Welcome to Spring 1! Our values this half term are Patience, love and unity. We will also continue to actively promote the British Values: \*Democracy \*Rule of Law \*Individual Liberty \*Mutual Respect \*Tolerance of those with Different Faiths and Beliefs.

## ENRICHMENT ACTIVITIES

Beach Walk – To be confirmed

## PSHE, RSE and RE

### PSHE & RSE –

The children will be learning about keeping themselves safe.

### RE –

The children will be learning stories about Jesus.

COMPUTING: The children will be learning how to move a robot.

## PE

The children will be learning Sports Hall Athletics – Run, Jump, Throw

## OUR TEXT-DRIVERS

The Three Little Pigs  
 Oliver's Vegetables

## ENGLISH

The children will retell stories orally, sequence pictures and learn how to write a simple sentence. They will also rewrite The Three Little pigs including familiar phrases.  
 They will also enjoy reading stories of their choice from the new books provided for our class library, as well as listening to a story or poem read aloud on a daily basis.

## MATHS

The children will continue to work on:

- Naming and recognising 2D and 3D shapes.
- Place value and counting with numbers to 20
- Addition and Subtraction within 20
- Count beyond 20 to 50, counting objects. Counting in 10's and spotting patterns in the number count.

## HOME LEARNING

Please support your child's reading by hearing them read daily for 5-10 minutes and sharing stories with them, maybe at bedtime. Reading books will come home on a Friday and are due back in school the following Thursday. Phonic and Maths resources will be sent home and activities will be shared through Seesaw. Please also support your child in securing their counting to 50 as well as their recognition of numbers to 50.