

Meet the Team!

Team Leader: Kate

Teaching Staff: Nikki, Boe, Zehra and Suraiya.

Support Staff: Rukia, Talia and Pam.

Year One

Autumn 1 2020

Reading

Phonics will be on a daily basis this term and we will begin to incorporate daily reading activities this term also. Our main focus will be to recognise the first 40 high frequency words and also to be able to apply our phonics knowledge into our independent reading and building up fluency.

Writing

In writing, we will be focusing our learning around the core texts, 'Here We Are' by Oliver Jeffers, 'Winnie the Pooh' by A. A. Milne, 'The Boy, The Mole, The Fox and The Horse' By Charlie Mackery. focusing on using letter names to distinguish between alternative spellings of the same sound, applying simple spelling rules and forming capital

Mathematics

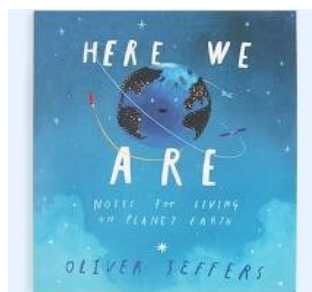
This term in Maths we are going to focus on securing our knowledge of number to 20 and up to 100. We will look at simple addition and subtraction to twenty using real life problems, including money. We will also starting to have a go at explaining as well as justifying our answers.

Looking After Ourselves and Each Other.

P.E.

Year 1 will have P.E. on Thursdays and dance on Wednesdays.

Please ensure that your child comes in to school wearing their PE kit on Wednesdays and Thursdays.



Science

Our topic for this term will be based mainly on animals and humans; identifying key parts of their bodies as well as similarities and differences. We will also be discussing the seasons and seasonal change.

Topic

This term our learning will be centred around the topic of 'Looking After Ourselves and Each Other,' with particular reference to the key texts listed in 'Writing'. Over the course of the term, our main focus will be on children's personal, social and emotional development which will take various forms including circle time, discussions and games. We will explore the topic in relation to ourselves, the local area we live in and the world around us.

PSHE

This half term we are using 'Here We Are' by Oliver Jeffers to talk about how we can look after ourselves and each other. We will have regular circle times and opportunities for children to ask questions, share their experiences and talk about their concerns.

Supporting Your Child's Learning at Home

Please read with your child on a daily basis - we have sent home a non-banded book to enjoy with sharing. We will also be sending home banded books very soon. Spellings and Maths homework will be sent home every Friday. Please see your child's class teacher if you are unable to log on to Mathletics.