

Year 1 Curriculum Newsletter

Welcome to Michaelmas term 2020. We hope you had a great holiday!



<u>Literacy</u>

In Literacy, we will explore fiction, non-fiction in poetry, we will read stories from familiar settings and other genres. Emphasis will be on writing, forming letters correctly and observing punctuations in sentences.

An in-depth study of the book "Here We Are' by Oliver Jeffers will be explored to help us understand all about our earth, expressing our views about our earth, caring for people and things we have on our earth.

Numeracy

We will work with numbers, place value, addition and subtraction, shape and data, money and time.

We will have loads of hands-on and interactive lessons to get us actively engaged and also enrich our learning experiences.

ICT

We will learn to use the various parts of the computer, logging in and out and using the spacebar and keyboard to type simple texts. We will also learn to save, retrieve and print our work.

As part of getting to be more aware of our environment, we will have fun with outdoor lessons and enjoy nature in the process.

Mini Project

We will be working on a Mini Project on representations of our feelings using drawings and simple sentences to make a journal.



Managing Relationships

- We will be looking at how to show respect for each other.
- We will look at how to show appreciation and making people happy.
- We will try to work well and in collaboration with each other.
- We will learn to develop an understanding of our own feelings and a sensitivity towards others.

We will learn to display good manners and politeness.

Art & Design

We will be trying out 2D and 3D representations during the term as well as trying to use biodegradable items.

Focus on the Our Earth (Planet)

The theme "Our Earth" will be the main driver in the learning journey of this term.

History

We will look at the Great Fire of London. We will use the event to compare the past and the present, houses, technology and other aspects.

Science

The Wider World - In Science, we will focus on Outdoor Learning Space- Explore Animals including humans (Wild Animals and Seasonal Changes).

Religious Education

We will recount elements of religious stories and view life as it involves making choices between right and wrong.



Autumn is the season we celebrate