



Year 1 Curriculum Overview Autumn Term 1

English

Pupils will study stories with repeating patterns. They will be encouraged to join in to stories read aloud repetitive phrases. They will learn to punctuate their sentences with full stops and capital letters and practise their letter formation daily. Pupils will study books such as 'Mrs Armitage on Wheels'.

Maths

Pupils will consolidate their knowledge of using numbers to 10 and their value using the part whole method. They will also practise the skills of adding and subtracting numbers within 10 and complete missing number questions and puzzles to enable them to develop their reasoning skills.

Phonics – Pupils will continue to follow the Read Write Inc scheme for phonics and will read independently within all daily phonics lessons. They will be grouped according to their stage on the programme and will learn to read, write and spell words that contain the focus sounds. Pupils will also continue to build upon their knowledge of everyday 'red words' which cannot be decoded as they do not follow a specific phonic pattern.

Science

Pupils will learn about the human body and identify, name, draw and label parts of the human body. They will learn about the senses and which body part is associated with each sense.

Humanities - History

Pupils will be learning about how transport has changed over time. Pupils will consider many 'firsts' in transport and the impact that these had on people at the time as well as how they are important today.

Art and Design

Pupils will learn the language used to describe lines. They will use string and chalk to draw lines as well as experiment with a number of techniques to make marks.

Computing

Pupils will learn to improve their mouse skills. They will learn to log in and navigate a computer.

French

The children learn a selection of greetings in French.

Music

Pupils will study the style of old school hip hop and will learn about the differences between pulse, rhythm and pitch. They will copy, clap back and create their own rhythms. Pupils will listen to a selection of artists like De La Soul, Will Smith, The Sugarhill Gang and MC Hammer.

RE

Pupils will focus on the religion of Christianity this half term. They will learn to re-tell the Christian Creation story and explore how this influences how Christians behave towards nature and the environment. They will discuss things that are important to them and others.

PE

Pupils will spend their indoor PE lessons learning how to make shapes with their bodies and focusing on exploring movements and balances. In their outdoor PE lessons, pupils will explore running and how to run efficiently.

PSHE

Pupils will learn about family and relationships and will focus on learning about what family is. Pupils will also learn about how to make friends and begin to understand how to deal with friendship problems as well as what makes a healthy friendship.

Assemblies: Children will learn about the value of **respect** this half term. They will also learn about the significance of Harvest Festivals for Christians and build upon their knowledge of The Wavendon Gate Way, our behaviour curriculum.