

# Year 1 Curriculum Overview Spring Term 2

#### **English**

Pupils will continue to study narratives and will focus on the text 'Wild'. They will look at writing descriptions as they continue to develop their adejctive knowledge as well as writing their own narrative. Pupils will also continue their understanding of non-fiction texts as they look at nocturnal animals.

#### Maths

Pupils will continue to develop their knowledge of numbers to 50 through counting in 2s and 5s as well as solving word problems to 50. Pupils will be measuring heights and lengths using standard and non-standard units of measure and will also begin to look at measuring weight and volume.

<u>Phonics</u> - 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 animals and their features and will look at how animals are grouped based on these features. Pupils will also begin to think about the different diets of animals. They will continue to develop their scientifice skills.

## Humanities Geography

Pupils will learn about what the weather is like in the UK. They will look at naming the four countries of the UK and identifying where they live. Pupils will also look at the 4 points on a compass.

### Design Technology

Pupils will be designing and making their own puppets. They will learn about a number of ways to secure fabric as well as looking at a number of existing products before designing their own and then making their designs.

#### Computing

Pupils will continue to learn about programming using the Bee bots.

#### French

Pupils will continue to learn about French greetings.

#### Music

Pupils will learn about sound patterns through learning chants and songs. They will use instruments to represent parts of a story and they will begin to look at a number of rhythms and beats.

#### RE

Pupils will explore some religious beliefs about why we should care for the world. They will think about why it is important to take care of the world and how we can do this. They will also think about their own role in caring for the world.

#### PE

Pupils will use their indoor PE lessons to continue their work on their body parts using the criteria 'Wide, Curled, Narrow'. In their outdoor PE lessons, they will be developing their jumping skills in a number of ways.

#### **PSHE**

Pupils will be learning about economic well being and the importance of understanding and being in control of money. Pupils will learn how we get money and how we can keep it safe.

#### Assembly Themes

Children will learn about the school value of **courtesy** this half term through our assemblies. They will also learn about the significance of Easter for Christians and celebrate World Book Day and STEM Science Week.