

Year 1 Topics

History

The Year 1 curriculum covers some history topics. We look at Homes and Houses and how these have changed over the years. Within this topic we look at the outside and inside of houses and what has changed.

The children really enjoy it when we do our Toys topic. They are able to ask their parents and grandparents about the toys they played with when they were young. They also get to have first hand experiences of some 'older' toys. The children like seeing and are able to identify how toys have changed.

Geography

In geography the children will study the local area and map making. They are able to learn about landmarks and make their own maps with a key.

The children also learn about the weather and compare it to other countries. They become weathermen/women which they love.

ICT

We have regular ICT time and understand the importance of internet safety. The children have more than one session on keeping safe online.

We also work on using word and saving new documents, inserting images and changing fonts and colours.

Art

There are plenty of opportunities for the children to take part in art lessons. Our art covers; sketching, painting and using different mediums.

PSHE

We follow the Jigsaw scheme for our phonics in year 1 and are learning how to be Rainbow Ready. We also do a lot of work on Pivotal, the Zones of Regulation and talk about activities.

Design Technology (DT)

DT is a favourite for the children. They are able to take part in skills based lessons and learn new skills. The children are able to take part in a cooking unit where they will learn how to peel and cut fruit or vegetables safely. They are able to taste different flavours and design their own.

Science

Throughout the year the children have the opportunity to plan and observe science investigations. We look at plants and animals, including humans and at different materials.

P.E

P.E happens twice a week. We follow the P.E passport and this includes gymnastics, movement skills and invasion games. We've been lucky enough to have a gymnastics coach from Pass and Move come in and teach the children gymnastic skills for two terms.

RE

The Year 1 RE curriculum looks at some of the Old and New Testament. The children learn about how the world was created and think about their own rules for a new world.

