

# Class Curriculum Information



Year 1  
Spring Term 1  
2025/2026

## CLASS NOTICES

### Class Text

Our class texts are 'Poems Aloud' by Joseph Coelho and 'After The Fall' by Dan Santat.

### Reading

The children will read for at least 10 minutes every day in school and we hope parents will do the same at home. The children will have a levelled reader that will be changed on a **Friday**. They will also have a reading for pleasure book that they can change whenever they wish. Both can be commented on in their reading diary.

### PE





PE will take place on a **Monday** and **Thursday**. Children may come to school in their kit on PE days. They will be wearing this kit outside at lunch and playtimes so please ensure it is weather appropriate.

### Homework





Our homework will be sent out every **Friday** returning back into school by the following **Tuesday**. If you have any questions about the homework, please ask.

**Please ensure your child brings in a named water bottle everyday.**

## ENRICHMENT AREAS OF LEARNING

<b>English</b> 	In English this term we will be reading poems and learning to recite one from memory. In writing we will be learning skills to help us write a series of sentences to retell a familiar story e.g. using the -ed suffix to show past tense. We will continue to have daily phonics lessons to support both reading and writing.
<b>Maths</b> 	In Maths we will be exploring place value with numbers to 20. We will then look at addition and subtraction within 20 using a range of methods to support our working. We will also use number bonds to help us look at fact families and how addition and subtraction facts are related to each other.
<b>Science</b> 	During this half term we will be looking at our bodies with a focus on the senses. We will be identifying and naming body parts and taking part in practical activities with the senses to spot patterns and answer questions.
<b>Computin</b> 	In computing we will develop our understanding of programming. We will be learning how to create simple algorithms and programs to enable us to move floor robots along a set path.

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<b>Geograph</b> 	In geography we will be studying the geography of the school. Using aerial views to look at landmarks in and around the school grounds. Then working together to create symbols to help us annotate a map of the school before mapping a route we have travelled around the school.
<b>R.E.</b> 	In RE this term we will be learning about what makes some places sacred. We will find out which places might be special to Christians, Muslims and Jewish people and look at similarities and differences in these places.
<b>DT</b> 	In art we will be learning about colour and colour mixing. We will be making secondary colours and learning how to make different shades of these colours. We will also look at the work of the ceramic artist Clarice Cliff.
<b>P.E.</b> 	In PE we will be exploring dance. We will explore travelling actions, movement skills and balancing. We will also learn why it is important to count to music and how to use this in our dances