

Autumn 2
Year 1



Year 1 Learning Leaflet

Splendid Skies



Maths

This half-term in Maths we will be focusing on numbers with 20. The children will be looking at the place value of these numbers. Towards the end of the half-term we will begin to use these numbers for addition and subtraction.

We will also be launching NumBots this half-term. This is an online maths game that will support your child as they learn counting, number bonds and simple addition and subtraction.

PSHCE/RE/Music

PSHCE – All our PSHCE learning this half-term will be around the theme 'Rights and Responsibilities'.

RE – Why did God give Jesus to the world? The Christmas Story.

Music – The children will focus on one of these units each term; Performance and Composition, Hey You unit, In the Groove.

Science

This half-term in Science we will be focusing on the topic 'Seasonal Change'. The children will observe seasonal change and explore the weather associated with each season. They will also be exploring everyday materials, some common animals and how to work scientifically.



About this topic

Our next topic this year is Splendid Skies and we are asking the big question...

What kind of things do you see in the sky?

We will be looking at seasonal change, the weather and air travel.

We look forward to receiving lots of creative home learning as the children explore all the things they can find in the sky.

English

This half-term in English we will be exploring the text Stuck by Oliver Jeffers and writing our own dilemma stories. We will then write some weather reports using the text Cloudy With a Chance of Meatballs By Judi Barrett.

Developing a love of reading will continue to be our biggest focus in Reading this half-term. We will be sharing stories, engaging in lots of talk about books, performing poetry and singing some key songs. We will also continue to build our phonetic knowledge through our daily phonics sessions.

Topic

Art and Design – Seasonal calendar, pointillism

Design Technology – Kites

Geography – Weather and the seasons

History – The development of air travel

PE – Gymnastics, Multi-skills

Computing – Data Handling

Key Dates

Splendid Skies hook day – Mon 8th Nov

Year 1 Meet the Teacher – Tues 2nd Nov
and Thurs – 4th Nov

Home learning due – Fri 10th Dec

Topic showcase – w/c Mon 13th Dec (tbc)

Year 1 Nativity – Wed 15th Dec (tbc)

End of term – Fri 17th Dec