

Year 1 Spring Term

Literacy

This term our text is Beegu.

A story about a little, yellow, lost Alien. The children will be talking about character and setting in the story and creating their own version of the story.

Topic

Our topic this term is the History of Space travel. The children will create a timeline of Space travel from the launch of Sputnik through Armstrong's moon landing to the recent mission of Tim Peck to the international space station.

Homework

Homework will be sent out every other week, giving families time to support their children when they have time. We also ask that parents and carers to read daily with their children. Children can change their book every day if they wish but we ask that a note is made in their Reading Record Book about their reading at home. Parents and carers can help the children with their maths skill by counting up to 100 and practise writing the numbers up to 100.

Maths

In maths the children will be building on their counting learnt so far in maths, learning number bonds to 20, counting up to, beyond 100 and back to zero and adding and subtracting within 50.

PE

The children will practise their gymnastic skills, following instructions balancing, creating sequences of simple movements. They will work together and individually, recognising their strengths, those of their class mates and thinking of ways they can improve their skills.

Science

This term the children will be investigating Floating and sinking. Children will be encouraged to ask question and suggest ways that they can find answers to their queries. They will have fun experimenting. The children will also learn about the seasons and how the weather changes throughout the year.

RE

This term year 1 will be learning about Christianity. The Key questions they will try to answer are:
Was it always easy for Jesus to show friendship?
And
Why was Jesus welcomed like a King or celebrity on Palm Sunday?