

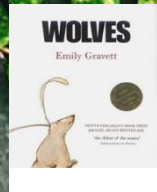
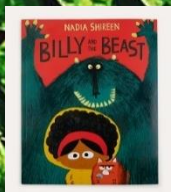
Key Stage 1: Autumn Term 1



English

We follow the *Read Write Inc* programme to teach phonics, reading

We are reading...



In addition to this, children will also continue with 'The Literacy Tree' to explore a variety of different texts and genres. We will write wanted posters, character descriptions, comparisons and recipes linked to this half term texts.

Geography

This half term our Geography topic is:
What is an Island?

Children will learn about Location, place knowledge, comparison of hot and cold climates and features of an island: UK, Iceland and Madagascar.



Maths

- **Year 1: Place Value**
 - read, count to and across 100, forwards and backwards
 - count in multiples of 2s, 5s and 10s
 - given a number, identify 1 more and 1 less
 - identify and represent and use the language of: equal to, more than, less than (fewer), most, least
- **Year 2: Place Value and Addition and Subtraction**
 - count in steps of 2, 3, and 5
 - recognise the place value of each digit in a two-digit number (10s, 1s)
 - identify, represent and estimate numbers
 - compare and order numbers
 - use place value and number facts to solve problems

Science

This half term our science focus is

Living Things and Their Habitats

Children will be learning about living, dead, and never-living things. They will explore different habitats, discovering how plants and animals meet their needs and depend on each other. They will also identify a variety of plants and animals, including those in microhabitats, and learn how food chains show the way animals get their food.



Religious Education

This half term children will be exploring
'The Bible: Why is it a Special Book?'

This term our Christian value is
Courage

The Linked Bible Story: **Joshua and Caleb**

'Be strong and courageous. Do not be afraid, do not be discouraged, for the Lord your God will be with you wherever you go.' Joshua 1.9

Computing

Programming: Beebots

This half term in computing pupils will develop early programming skills using Beebot Programmes

Plus Online Safety

Explain what is meant by online information
Recognise what information is safe to be shared online.

PSHE

Our HeartSmart focus this half term is 'Get HeartSmart'



HeartSmart is a culture-changing resource that is used throughout the whole school and leads out from our worship. It is about building up character, emotional health and resilience founded in Christian love.

Kidsafe: We will also be teaching Kidsafe in each week, letters will be sent home following each session.

Music

Pulse and Rhythm

(Theme: My favourite things)
Children are learning to understand and keep a steady pulse and rhythm through movement, voice, body percussion, and performance.

Art

This half term our Art focus is **Drawing:**
Drawing a response to a thought or an idea, created by a point of interest.



Design & Technology

This half term our Design and Technology focus is **Textiles:**
How can you repurpose fabric?



PE

PE days in KS 1 are: **Thursdays, and Fridays.**

We will be looking at the fundamentals in PE along with ball skills.