

## English

**Phonics:** The children have had a great first week back and have worked so hard in their phonics lessons. We will be continuing with daily phonics lessons throughout this half term.

Next week we will be writing a recount of our school trip. Following on from this we will be reading and writing about The Squirrels Who Squabbled. Children will be learning to sequence and summarise events, to describe characters and identify rhyming words. We will also be looking at Riddles, identifying features, using adjectives and writing our own riddles.

## Science

Year 1 will be learning about the changes that can be seen between Spring and Summer. We will observe and collect data about the weather, describe the weather associated with Summer and describe how the number of daylight hours varies on the season.

## Design Technology

We will be preparing foods by cutting and juicing and selecting fruits and vegetables to create a smoothie to meet a design brief.

## PSHE

We will be looking back at ourselves and celebrating our achievements. We will also commence the Journey in Love programme recommended by the diocese for Year 1.

## History

How has Ashton On Mersey changed over the last 80/90 years?

We will look at what the village looks like now and how it looked 80/90 years ago. We will record the different types of shops and compare them to years ago. We will also talk about how the buildings and roads etc have changed over the years.

## French

In French we will be consolidating what we have learnt throughout the year through rhymes, songs and games.

Year 1  
Summer 2  
Mrs Hart



## Computing

Children will learn what data is and the different ways that it can be represented, why data is useful, how it can be used and ways in which it can be gathered and recorded both by humans and computers.

## Music

Our music theme is Under the Sea. Children will combine all the musical concepts learned throughout Year 1. Children will make links between music, sounds and environments and use percussion, vocal and body sounds.

## Homework

Homework will continue to be sent home on a Tuesday to be returned the following Monday.

## Snacks

Please continue to send a healthy snack in for your child's morning break. Fruit will continue to be provided for the afternoon break.

## Maths

### **Numbers to 100:**

Count in 10's, use a 100 square, partitioning into tens and ones, more and less, comparing two numbers.

### **Money:**

Learn about coins, learn about notes and count in 2's, 5's and 10's using coins.

### **Time:**

Say if things happen before or after one another, use a calendar, tell the time to the hour and half hour and solve time word problems.

## Religion

Children will:

Know that the term 'Christian' means followers of Jesus Christ.

Recognise the cross as a symbol of Christianity.

Recognise simple connections between Jesus; life and message and how Christians live today.

Recognise that Christian means follower of Jesus

Recognise that Catholics are part of a global family.

Correctly use words and phrases to recognise features of Jewish life and practice.

Ask questions about the stories and experiences of Jewish people and a religious festival.

## PE

The children will continue to have 2 hours of PE each week. They will be studying Net and Wall Games and Sending and Receiving. PE days are Monday and Thursday.