



LIMITLESS POTENTIAL

IGNITE PASSION

EMBRACE DIFFERENCE

**Mathematics:**

Maths lessons will be daily where the children will be engaging in fun and hands on practical activities which will enable them to secure a concrete understanding of mathematical concepts. The children will begin by refreshing their prior knowledge of number, moving on to develop skills further in:

**Place Value (within 10):** Sorting & counting objects, representing objects & numbers to 10, counting forwards/backwards, counting one more/less, comparing objects/ numbers and ordering objects/numbers.

**Addition and Subtraction (within 10):** Here the children will explore the part – whole model, fact families (addition facts) and will secure their number bonds to 10 which will help them when adding and subtracting.

**Geometry – Shape:** Recognising and naming 2-D and 3-D shapes, sorting 2-D and 3-D shapes and exploring patterns with 2-D and 3-D shapes.

**History & Geography**

**Autumn 1: History - Castles**

**Autumn 2: Geography – The Four Seasons**

**Science**

**Materials:**

To distinguish between an object and the material from which it is made

To identify and name a variety of everyday materials, including wood, plastic, glass, metal, water, and rock

To describe the simple physical properties of a variety of everyday materials

To compare and group together a variety of everyday materials on the basis of their simple physical properties.

**seasonal change:**

To observe changes across the four seasons

To observe and describe weather associated with the seasons and how day length varies

**Year 1**

**Autumn 2023**

**RE:**

What can we learn about Christianity from visiting a church?  
What do Christians believe about God?

**PSHCE:**

**Autumn 1 - Family and relationships:**

- What is family?
- What are friendships
- Recognising other people's emotions
- Working with others
- Friendship problems
- Healthy friendships
- Gender stereotypes

**Autumn 2 - Health and wellbeing:**

- Understanding my emotions
- What am I like?
- Ready for bed
- Relaxation
- Hand washing and personal hygiene
- Sun safety
- Allergies
- People who help keep us healthy

**English:**

The children will have daily phonics and English lessons. In Phonics we will be developing our reading skills and will be continuing to learn our RWI sounds whilst learning the common exception or 'tricky' words which children are expected to learn in Year 1. In our English sessions we will focus on simple grammar, punctuation and using finger spaces in our writing. We will also be focusing on our handwriting, letter formation and sizing.

**Autumn 1:**

- Narrative** – cumulative tale link to fairy tales
- Poetry** – rhyme (with a performance outcome, not written)

**Autumn 2:**

- Non Fiction** - fact writing (labels) linked to topic
- Narrative** – simple letter linked to Santa

**Art & Design and Technology:**

**Art:**

**Drawing: Make your mark**

- Exploring line
- Making waves
- Experimenting with media
- Mark making
- Drawing from observation

**Design and Technology:**

**Eat More Fruits and Vegetables**

**Computing:**

- Autumn 1:** Computer systems and networks – technology around us
- Autumn 2:** Creating Media - seesaw

**Music:**

- Hey You!
- Christmas Singing