Maths will continue to happen every day. We will develop our knowledge of numbers to 100 and learn to read and write them correctly. We will continue to practise our counting in 1s, 2s, 5s and 10s within 100 and become confident with quickly making pairs of numbers to all numbers up to 20. We will also look at fractions and what half and quarter mean. We will be finding a half and a quarter of different shapes and amounts and learn to double our single numbers up to double 10.

In <u>Science</u> we will be developing our knowledge of plants and flowers in our local area. We will be using a local meadow to help inspire us with flowers and will learn about how they are important to our environment. We will be able to identify them and know the basic things that a plant needs in order to grow and survive.

Our <u>RE</u> will explore the concept of Authority. The children will think about the people in their lives that show authority and why they are important. We will then relate this to Christianity and think about how Jesus and God show authority and love in the Bible.

This term, Year 1 will explore the big question, 'What would life be like without flowers, plants and trees?'

Save the date...

Please keep Friday 24th at 2.30pm free for our outcome event. Further details to follow.

Through our **English** we will continue to develop our writing skills using full stops and capital letters correctly. We will be writing information facts about the flowers and plants we learn about and writing instructions for how to grow flowers. We will also continue to develop our handwriting, making sure all our letters are formed correctly. Reading will happen every day through book club and phonics. Please continue to read frequently with your child at home, it really does help them. Spellings will continue to be sent home every week for the children to learn.

Our <u>HeartSmart</u> learning this term will focus on 'Don't Rub it in, Rub it Out!'. We will also be thinking in our worships about how we can help change the world.

<u>PE</u> will take place every week. We will be exploring gymnastic skills and games which involve multi-skills this term. Please ensure your child has a named kit in school every-day, as sometimes the day changes due to the weather.

In <u>DT</u> we will be learning to sew. We will use these simple sewing skills to help us make a bag to carry seeds in. We will also continue to practise our sketching skills in <u>Art</u> where we will be sketching the flowers and plants in our local area.

Our <u>Computing</u> will help us learn about collaboration. We will be learning about the internet and email and using these to find out information about our project. In order for us to do this, we will be developing our skills at using a keyboard.