

In Maths, we will broaden our knowledge of numbers to 100 and practise how to read and write them correctly. We will continue to practise counting in 1s, 2s, 5s and 10s within 100 and become confident with making pairs of numbers to all numbers up to 20. We will also be learning to tell time, using analogue clocks and reading the time to the hour and half hour. Later in the term, we will use our addition and subtraction knowledge to help us solve problems involving money.

In Science we will be developing our knowledge of plants and flowers in our local area. We will be using our school field to help inspire us and will learn about how they are important to our environment. We will be able to identify some common garden and wild plants. We will identify and label the parts of the plants and flowers and learn about their functions.



Our RE will explore the concept Creation. The children will learn about Creation through the Christian and Jewish faiths.

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

#### Key Vocabulary

*petal, stem, leaf, leaves, root, flower, plant, seed, shoot, soil, sun, water, stem, light, nutrients, dandelion, daisy, cowslip, clover, grow, survive, alive, observe, tree, plant*



Through our English we will continue to develop our writing skills, using full stops and capital letters correctly. We will also continue to develop our handwriting, making sure all our letters are formed correctly and are appropriately sized. We will be learning about instructional writing, retelling stories and writing a recount about exploring the nature in our school grounds. Reading will happen every day through RWI phonics groups. Please continue to read frequently with your child at home, it really does help with their confidence and fluency.

Our Heart Smart learning this term will focus on 'No way through isn't true'. We will learn about facing challenges and what we can do when we are stuck.



In PE, we will be creative in our dance sessions on Mondays. On Fridays, we will be developing our racket and ball skills and hitting over a net. Please ensure your child wears suitable PE clothing for the weather and they bring a sunhat with them.

In DT, we will be learning to join two pieces of fabric. We will use this simple skill to help us make a bag to carry seeds in.

In Computing, we will be learning about digital imagery. We will use IPADs to take photos can create storyboards and collages using them.

In Music, we will be learning about the sounds of the sea. We will learn to create different sound effects with our voices, bodies and a range of instruments.