

Year 1

Term 3 Curriculum Newsletter

English

In English, we will be looking at Paddington's adventure around London. We will work toward innovating our own text to describe Paddington's visit to Hastings. We will always be writing instruction on how to make Jelly!

Science

We will be looking at the changing seasons and thinking about how the weather and lengths of day change too. Our focus this term will be winter. We will also be learning about different types of animals and how we can categorise them.

Computing

We will be looking at the topic 'Programming' this term. The children will be programming simple instructions into robots.

Additional subjects

Music

We will be learning to sing together, keep in time and start to learn some technical vocabulary such as pitch.

Attendance

We take attendance **very seriously** at St Paul's. Please ensure your child is in school **EVERY day and on time**. Thank you.

Reading:

It is important that the children read for a short time **every day** and bring their reading records back into school each day. Books will be changed once a week, we encourage you to explore your book, rereading, discuss the pictures and answering questions.

General Information

Staff: Miss Isden, Mrs Cooper- 1HI. Miss Dadson, Mrs Wade- 1CD. Ms Mould and Miss Blackman, Mrs Palmer- 1RM/LB.

PE Kit: Your child will need their PE kit every week, which they will keep in school until the end of term. .

Additional subjects

RE

Our topic this term is 'Revelation and Scripture'. We will be exploring Jesus' life as a boy. We will be thinking about how Jesus is different to us.

Art & DT

We will be looking at portraits of Kings and Queens linking with our 'castles' topic. We will have a DT day making shields with our own coat of arms.

Geography

We will be asking the questions 'How does weather affect our life?' We will look at different climates and make comparisons. We will also discuss seasonal changes in our own climate.

Maths



We will be reinforcing reading, writing and identify numerals 0 - 100. The children will be exploring and beginning to develop their understanding of multiplication and division.

PSHE/RSE

We will be following our whole school Jigsaw PSHE. This term's focus is 'Dreams and Goals'.

In RSE, we will be thinking about our bodies and learning scientific names for body parts. We will also be thinking about relationships and how to overcome disagreements and work co-operatively.