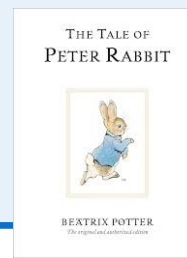
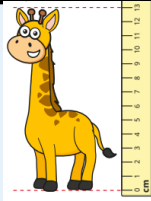


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Maths: We will begin looking at numbers up to 50, recognising numbers, but also using our knowledge place value focusing on our tens and ones, before we move on to the length and height. Length we will be teaching children to measure in centimetres. Finally we end our half term with looking at mass and volume, comparing weight and capacity.



What are we learning in Year 1?

How can I support my child?

Please continue to hear your child read regularly (at least three times per week, daily reading is ideal). Reading books are changed in your child's Read Write Inc group, please bring in reading folders every day.

Number work homework is set each Friday to be returned the following Thursday. Please encourage your child to complete this independently.

Visit our class page on the website to see this half term's knowledge organisers. Regular updates will be on seesaw.



Science: We are learning about animals this half term in our science session. Children will be learning about the 5 main animal groups and developing their knowledge of the key features to be able to categorise animals into the groups. Learning more about carnivores, herbivores, and omnivores by using our scientific skills to research with non-fiction books and texts. Finally we will look at animals which are suitable for pets and find out why some may not be.

D.T: Time to be creative this half term, we are looking at textiles, learning how to join two materials together for a purpose.



Children will be designing a puppet to create characters for a story, before making their puppet by joining materials using learnt skills and then decorating their puppet and ending our half term with a puppet show.

Computing: This half term we will be revisiting our algorithms learning to create a set of instructions for BeeBots to be able to move as needed.



Religion and Worldviews: This half term we are building on children's understanding of creation stories, they will explore beliefs about the relationship between humans and nature.

PSHE: Citizenship. Children will learn about rules and why they are important, recognising similarities and difference between themselves and others and discuss the different needs of babies and young people.

English: The half term will start by looking at the Author Debi Gliori and learning facts about her and learning how to create a fact file. Before moving on to focus on The Tale of Peter Rabbit. We will be learning the story and considering the different characters and their character traits. We will be writing questions, character descriptions and alternative endings to the story. We will also be learning and reciting short poems

Phonics: Children will continue to be taught phonics based on their current reading ability. Reading books will be sent home that link directly to the focus book they have been learning in their group.

Geography: Children will learn to identify and locate the four UK countries, recognise their own country and describe locations using basic compass directions. They will also measure different types of weather, using symbols used in weather forecasts, describe seasonal changes and suggest appropriate clothing and activities for each season.



Music: Singing and listening are at the heart of each lesson with our focus being on listening this half term. We will learn to play, improvise and compose using a selection of notes.

PE: Gymnastics –for our gym session we are looking at creating a routine using jumps, rolls and traveling on hands and feet.

Throwing—Our skills session focus is underarm throw, We will developing our ability to effectively throw underarm working on our stance and throwing with accuracy.

Important information :

PE Days— Monday & Friday

Parents evening—4th & 5th March