

Reading and Phonics

We will be continuing to teach new Phase 5 phonics phonemes alongside new tricky words

The children will read with an adult three times a week and on a Friday they will bring that book home to celebrate their reading with you. Children will also bring home a library book of their free choice.

Curriculum Summary

Term: Autumn Term 2 (2025) -

'Home Sweet Home'

Year Group: One

Trips and visitors: Village walks, Christmas Pantomime, Church visits, The Gunpowder Plot Drama Workshop

Learning Behaviour Animal: Concentrating Crocodile



Physical Education

As athletes, we will be completing a range of different activities based on ball skills. We will be focusing on our co-ordination and agility skills and how we can put these into a game situation.

Religious Education/PSHE

RE - We will be completing an Understanding Christianity unit focusing on 'Incarnation' which will include us learning about advent and Christingle. The children will recap the story of the Nativity and read it from the perspective of the shepherds from Gospel Luke. The children will also be looking at the festival of Diwali and the Hindu Traditions that people follow.

PSHE - *Celebrating differences* this includes lessons on Similarity & Difference, Bullying, Stereotyping, Racism, Discrimination and Celebrating Differences and Individuality.

Mathematics

As mathematicians we will be focusing on objectives in the following units:

- Addition and Subtraction (Within 10)
- Geometry (2D and 3D shape)
- Place Value (Within 20)

Themed Learning

As **Historians** we will be able to describe some significant historical events and people from our own locality. We will use books pictures and the internet as sources of information. We will be carrying out a local study of Dunchurch looking at how Dunchurch has changed over time. significant historical events, people and places in their own locality.

As **Geographers**, we will be looking at the difference between human features and physical features and trying to identify them on maps and out in the local environment. We will also be discovering more about Scotland and its Patron Saint, Saint Andrew.

As **Designers**, we will be using a range of tools and equipment to create a textile Christmas decoration.

As **Scientists** We will be looking at the season of Winter, identifying and talking about the changes we notice and comparing it to Autumn.

As **Musicians** we will be preparing for our Christmas Performance.

English

We will be looking at non-fiction and fiction texts this term. We will be reading different stories which will be the stimulus for us to practise our writing skills such as capital letters, full stops, finger spaces, perfect handwriting. This will support us in writing sentences which are cohesive.