Year 1 Curriculum Map Spring 1 2024

English
Key texts: 'Superworm' and 'On the Way Home'
In English we will be writing character descriptions based on our books and thinking of interesting adjectives. We will be focussing on our sentence structure and using full stops and capital letters.

History
This half term we will be learning about toys from the past. We will be comparing old toys to new toys and looking at the similarities and differences.

DT
In Design and Technology the children will be learning how to join materials. The children will apply this skill to design and create their own puppets. Following this, the children will decorate their puppet.

RE
In our Religious Education lessons we will be learning about Judaism. We will be learning about Jewish artefacts and why they are important to the Jewish faith. We will learn about the Jewish festival Pesach.

Value
Relationships

Key dates:
RSPB Big Bird Watch:30th January 2024
Reading Cafe- Every Thursday 8.45- 9:00am

Reminders
PE Days: Dragonflies- Tuesday & Friday
Butterflies- Monday & Friday
Ladybirds - Monday & Thursday

Music
In our music lessons we will be learning different songs, finding the tempo and exploring rhythm with a range of instruments.

Science
We will be explore the seasons and look closely at the signs of winter. Then, we will be learning about different animals. We will be exploring fish, amphibians, reptiles, birds and mammals.

Maths
In Maths we are focussing on numbers within 20. We will be learning to find one more and one less quickly. We will learn doubles within 20 for example 8 +8 = 16. We will continue addition and subtraction using a range of resources.

PE
We will be developing our balancing skills. We will learn how to balance on a line and apparatus. We will also be learning how to throw and catch balls.

PSHE
The children will be exploring their dreams and goals as they set themselves small targets and make a plan to achieve them.

Computing
The children will learn what data is and how to gather their own data. The children will learn how to create a pictogram.