

Year 1 Weekly Learning



Information about some of the things we will be learning in the **Week Beginning 25th April**

R.E. Change - Celebrate

We will finish this topic in a celebration including reflecting on change in our own lives and new life seen in the natural world.

Both in class and as a school we will be celebrating the joy of the Easter season in songs and prayers about the risen Jesus.



As well as attending an assembly, we will choose our own ways of responding.

Holy Days and Holidays - Explore

Our new topic also gives us the opportunity to share our experiences of Special Celebrations, what happens during them and the reasons for them.

PHSE Aiming High

Our Big Questions this week are:

What are my star qualities?

What star qualities would we like to develop?

What Is a Star Quality?

We are all unique and have lots of things which make us special, things that we are good at. This is exciting!

What might our star qualities be? We might be...

strong	hard-working	loyal	generous	honest
a good listener	thoughtful	funny	careful	positive
friendly	respectful	grateful	patient	loving
kind	responsible	co-operative	supportive	determined

We will talk about the qualities we have ourselves and can see in one another, then drawing and writing about these. We will be focussing on attitudes and behaviours shown above. What an encouraging way to start our term!

Maths

We are **Counting and Adding in 5s and 10s** and will learn to:

Make, recognise and count in Sets of 5

Find the pattern the sets of 5 make on a Number Grid to 50.

Solve some number problems using sets of 5.

How many pencils? 30

How many chocolates? 20

Have a think

Counting backwards in 10s

Have a think

What numbers are missing?

Recall how to Count in 10s

Understand that as we count in 10s, we are adding 10s together
Eg 30 is 10 + 10 + 10

Solve some number problems using sets of 10.

English

Having spent two weeks with our families and friends, we will write a recount of our favourite day.

This will include writing the events in order, using words that show this such as *First, Next, Then, Finally*.

We will be checking that we have the capitals, full stops and finger spaces needed to make our sentences make sense and using phonics and known tricky words for our spelling.



Computing

Practising how to use our own Log In information to access the school computers and the Purple Mash website independently continues. Learning can be supported online with Purple Mash at home.

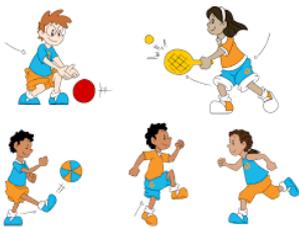


Music

We start learning a new song called *Your Imagination*, and start exploring a new musical style.



P.E.



Please come to school in P.E. Clothes on P.E. days which are **Tuesdays and Thursdays for both classes.**

We will be working with a coach to develop our Games Skills on Tuesday mornings. We will practise the skills learnt in these lessons on Thursday.

Topic – Geography

Our new topic is based around a celebration of Queen Elizabeth and the British nations. We begin by finding out about the different nations that make up the United Kingdom and locating England and London on maps.



We learn some facts about England and London, such as famous landmarks, population, currency, national leaders. Then we write our own fact files about what we have found out.