

Geography



What is the geography of where I live?

The children will be learning what geography is. They will be learning that they live in Calne, which is located within the United Kingdom. Then learning about the physical and geographical features of their local area.

Art

Drawing: Exploring line and shape



As artists the children will be focusing on exploring line and shape. Exploring different media and ways to mark make. Developing an understanding adding purpose to mark-making.

Music

Keeping the pulse

The children will be exploring the vocabulary of pulse within music. Singing and reading sound patterns, learning that practice makes perfect.



Butterfly Class

Year 1 Term 1 Overview

02.09.26 – 21.10.26



RE

In RE, this year we will be comparing the religions of Christianity and Islam through the concepts of creation, intermediary, salvation, witness and worship and afterlife. The first unit will focus on the concept of creation.

PSHE

Being me in my world.



In PSHE, children will participate in discussions about their social and emotional development. They will understand that they are important to the school community and are valued as individuals. Children will recognise that their choices have consequences and that they have rights and responsibilities.

PE

During Mondays PE lessons the children will develop their physical skills whilst completing team building activities.

During Fridays PE sessions the children will learn how to balance using different parts of the body and equipment and exploring moving their bodies in a variety of ways.

Science

How are animals the same and different?

As scientists the children will be exploring animals and humans. Learning about the parts of human bodies and what the different senses are used for.

They will then learn all about the different categories of animals and learning how their body parts help to identify the group an animal belongs to.

Phonics

In Phonics the children will be reviewing phase 3, 4 and beginning to learn the phase 5 sounds.

Computing

The children will be learning about the technology all around them and using technology safely and responsibly.

Value of the Term



English

Reading - The children will be reading books linked to their phonics.

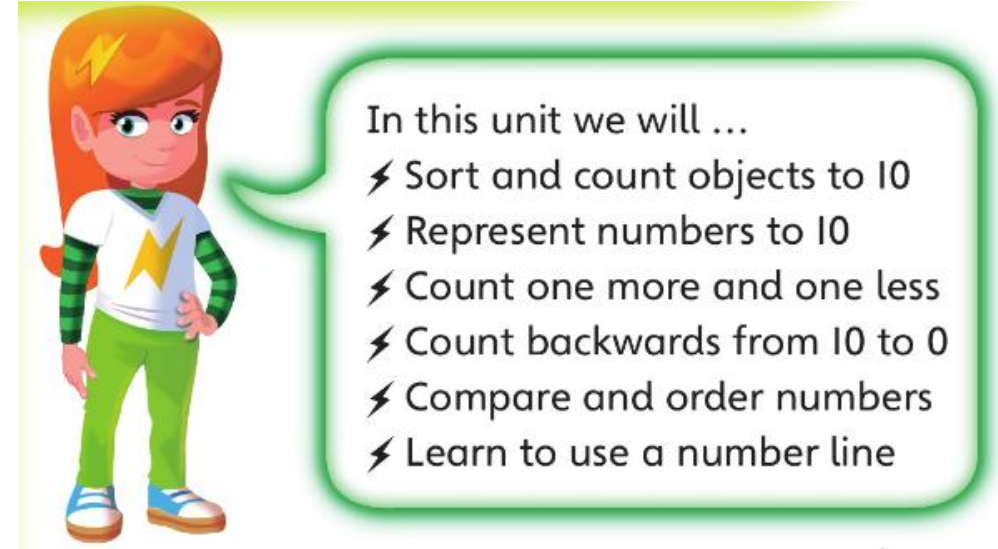
Writing – The children will begin the year focusing on simple sentences, knowing they need a naming part and an action part for it to be a sentence. They will then move on to 'Jack and the Beanstalk' to use their simple sentence knowledge to write simple character descriptions. They will be focusing on capital letters and full stops and continuing to focus on their letter formations they started in reception.



Handwriting Children will practice their handwriting within school, and they will receive homework to support their handwriting too.

Maths

In maths the children will be learning numbers to 10.



Homework

Reading: Children will take home a reading book each week. Please read with your child every night and record in your child's reading log each time. This reading book will be linked to their phonics. **It is important your child has opportunities for daily reading at home and we look for 5 reads per week.**

Thursday: homework collected, and new homework given. Reading books will be changed then too.

Spelling: Spellings will go home every Thursday and will be tested the following Friday morning.

Maths: Children have maths homework and logins for Numbots and should practice this 3 times per week.