



Curriculum Information



Autumn 2 Year 1



Our topic this half term is 'School Days'.

This half term we will be stepping back in time to the Victorian times. After finding out why it is called the Victorian era we will be exploring what it was like to be a school child at this time. Did all children go to school? What were classrooms like? What were teachers like? Were lessons similar to those that we have today? All of these questions will be answered after exploring different sources and taking part in our very own Victorian classroom experience.

As writers, we will be writing creative descriptions, a recount, poetry and non-fiction texts.

As readers, we will share a number of books which will include 'If I built a school' and 'Hello Friend.'. We will also be exposed to a range of books during our guided reading sessions.

In Maths, we will explore numbers within 20. This will include representing numbers, finding 1 more and 1 less, doubling and halving and exploring addition and subtraction using known facts.

In Science, we will find out about the different seasons.

In Art, we will be looking at some of the work created by Hunderwasser and creating our own masterpieces using some of the techniques taught.

In Computing, we will be exploring and creating algorithms. We will also be discussing the importance of passwords to help us stay safe online.

In History, we will investigate how schools have changed since the Victorian era.

In Music, we will create sound effects using our voice and learn songs for our Christmas nativity.

In PSHE, we will continue to learn about protective behaviours and explore relationships, friendships and kind behaviour.

In PE, we will take part in gymnastics and team games.

In RE, we will learn about Christianity and the Christmas story.