

Year 1 - Spring 1

None core Topic work:

In History, we are going to be starting a new unit on Victorians. We will be learning who Queen Victoria is, comparing rich and poor Victorian households, how Victorian toys differ from ours and what schools were like in Victorian times.

In Geography, we are learning about Cities. We are going to learn the 4 cities in the UK, what the capital city of the UK is and what landmarks we may find in cities.

In Science, we will be learning about the human body. We will be learning about the 5 senses and how to look after ourselves.

Writing:

In English we will be continuing to practise applying our phonic knowledge to our independent sentence writing.

We will be writing sentences based on the following books:

The Little Red Hen

Man on the Moon

The day the crayons quit

Maths:

In Maths we will be exploring place value up to 20. We will be ordering and comparing numbers to 20, finding out 1 more and 1 less and representing numbers to 20 in different ways. We will be continuing to consolidate our number bonds to 10 and will continue practising our 2, 5 and 10 times tables.



Where can you find out more?

You can use these websites to find out about your child's learning at home.

History:

<https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/articles/zkb6fdm>

Geography:

<https://www.bbc.co.uk/teach/class-clips-video/articles/zjn492p>

Times tables:

<https://www.bbc.co.uk/teach/topics/cnep90jwjj7t>

Helping at home:

- It is important you help your child practise their times tables at home. In Year 1, we have learnt our 2x table, 5x table and 10x tables. Please practise these at home.
- Please read with your child as much as possible (at least 3 times a week) using their RWI books as these are familiar reads your child will be confident with. This promotes a love of reading and develops their language acquisition skills.

Useful vocab

Science

- Healthy
- Unhealthy
- Germs
- Prevent
- Touch
- Taste
- Smell
- See
- Senses
- Hear

Useful vocab

History

- Past
- Present
- Rich
- Poor
- Palace
- Victorian

REMINDERS:

Please remember to record the wonderful reading you are doing at home.

Please send your child with a water bottle on a Monday, this can be left in school until Friday.