

### History

This term, we will be looking at castles and their place in our history. We will be learning about life in a castle and how they defended themselves.

### Geography

We will be studying the UK. We will learn about the countries that make up the UK and their capital cities. We will also be learning about the seas and oceans surrounding the UK and where it is in the world.

### R.E

Our focus this term is on asking the question: 'What is the Good News that Jesus brings?'

'What happened at the first Easter?'



### Music

This term, we will be learning about timbre, tempo and dynamics. We will then be exploring sounds with Mrs Draycott. We will also be learning songs for our Easter service.

### PE

This term, Soccer Stars will be coaching the children in fitness skills on Mondays. We will also have PE on Fridays. This term it is dance. You may come to school in your kit or bring it with you.

# Spring Term 2023

## Key Stage 1



# Curriculum Information

## A booklet for parents

### Literacy

Much of our English work will be focussed on our topics. We will be writing about lots of different things, many of which will be topic based. We will be using information, stories and poetry as a stimulus.

We will be concentrating on the presentation of our work as well as improving sentences.

Y1 - the focus will be on writing sentences independently, using phonics to help with spelling and using 'and' to join short sentences together.

Y2 - will be refining their skills in sentence writing, using a range of co-ordinating and subordinating conjunctions, learning to spell 'tricky' words and writing in a range of genre.

### Numeracy

This term, **Y1** will be covering the topics of:

Place value within 20, then 50

Addition and Subtraction within 20

Measure: Length and height

Measure: Weight and volume

**Y2** will be covering the topics of:

Money

Multiplication and division

Length and height

Mass, capacity and temperature

### Science

This term, the children will be learning about materials and their properties.

They will observe and comment on the way materials react to water, etc. They will do experiments and make observations, recording them and observing changes over time.



### ICT

This term we will be continuing to use Purple Mash to familiarise ourselves with the tools and systems we can use to present our work.

### Art/DT

This term we will be looking at Surrealist art. This will focus mainly on the work of Joan Miro and comparing it with the work of Salvador Dali. This will also include printing and sculpture.

### PSHE

Our themes, this term, are love, respect and friendship.