



Information For Parents Learning Journey 2

School Year: Year 1	Teacher: Mrs Scully	Support staff: Miss Craven and Mrs Nawaz
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English	As Writers we will be travelling to the Arctic with our story 'Lost and Found', where we will be creating a non-chronological report, a narrative and looking at poetry. In Spelling, Punctuation and Grammar (SPaG) the children will embed their knowledge through a text-based approach to learning.
Maths	As Mathematicians we will be working on Place Value (within 20 and 50), addition and subtraction within 20 and length/height/mass and volume.
Science	As Scientists we will be looking at Everyday Materials and grouping objects based on their properties.
RE	In Religion we will be looking at the special people that knew Jesus and his life from birth to death. We will also be looking at how we prepare for Lent/Easter.
History	As Historians we will be looking at changes in living memory including toys / television and schools.
Geography	As Geographers we will be exploring Hot and Cold places.
Art and Design/Design and Technology	As Artists we will be focusing 'Painting and Printing' As Designers and Makers we will be looking at textiles with the focus on making a hand puppet.
PE	As Sportspeople we will be looking at dance, gymnastics and fundamental skills.
Music	As Musicians we will be looking at the four seasons.
Computing	As Computer Whizzes we will be looking at maze explorers and animated picture books.
PSHE	In PSHE we will be looking at emotional wellbeing and personal relationships.

Important additional information:

PE and Forest School

Children must come into school in their school PE kits on the designated PE days.

Each week children will have PE on Wednesday and Friday until Mrs Shaw returns.

While Mrs Shaw is absent from school, children will not take part in Forest School. We will inform children and families when this changes.

Daily reading

Your child will be sent home with a RWI Book Bag Book that is matched to their current Phonics group. Children will need to have read the book three times before it can be changed. This is to aid fluency and comprehension.

Please ensure you sign your child's Reading Record each time they read at home. Children do not need to read a complete book in one sitting at home.

Children will have a reading for pleasure book that they will choose from the library and can change each Friday.

Please continue to communicate with me via Seesaw and share exciting things children are doing at home.

For whole school diary dates please see the School Calendar and Weekly Newsletter.

**Thank you,
Mrs Scully**