

Spring Term One Year 1

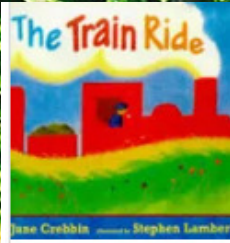
'Journeys'

English

Our focus text this term is 'The Train Ride' by June Crebbin.

Our role-play area is set up as a train and train station. Children will explore the emotions involved in travelling on a train and writing exciting sentences using adjectives, repetition and similes.

We are reading...



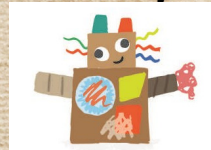
In Geography we will learn about the UK and the surrounding seas. We will learn about the capital cities and their landmarks.

Maths

This term we focus on number facts to 10, using partitioning, addition and subtraction. We then focus on 3D shapes, starting with cuboids and describing their properties.

Art

During Art we will be learning about 'sculpture' and focus on the artist 'Romuald Hazoume'. The children will be using recycled materials to create their own structures. Children will be using their final structure to sketch and discuss what they like about their final piece.



Science

In Science we will learn about the properties of different materials. We will sort materials into groups such as 'bendy', 'hard', 'transparent', 'opaque', 'waterproof or not'.

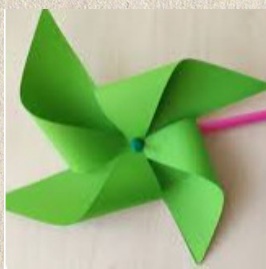


Phonics

We teach phonics everyday and follow the scheme 'Little Wandle'. Children will read everyday during phonics lessons and read the same book at least three times a week. A home reading book will come home in your child's book bag and will be shared with an adult in school. Please bring book bags everyday and continue to support your child at home with reading.

DT

In Design and Technology we will be making a windmill using wheels and axels. We will design, make and evaluate our final product.



Music & RE

This term we will learn a song called 'In The Groove' and use musical instruments to accompany it. We will explore the musical genres *'Blues, Latin, Folk, Funk, Baroque, Bhangra.'*

In RE we will be focussing on the question How should we care for the world and for others, and why does it matter?

PSHE

In PSHE we are learning about our likes and dislikes of the school environment, how we feel if we have a bad day and how to care for a pet or a plant.

Computing

In computing we will be learning how to programme a robot bee called 'Beebot'. We will learn how to use the buttons and programme Beebot to move in different ways.



PE

During PE we have gymnastics. We will learn how to move our bodies safely around the hall and equipment. Starting and landing in the correct positions and sequencing moves. We have daily 'Go Noodle' dancing and lots of opportunities to use the track and trim trail.