

Year 1 – Autumn 1

In English we can... apply phonic knowledge and skills as the route to decode words. read accurately by blending sounds in unfamiliar words containing GPCs that have been taught. listen to and discuss a wide range of poems, stories and non-fiction at a level beyond that at which they can read independently. spell words containing each of the 40+ phonemes already taught and some common exception words. write from memory simple sentences dictated by the teacher that include words using the GPCs and common exception words taught so far. begin to form lower-case letters in the correct direction, starting and finishing in the right place.	In Science we can.... identify, name, draw and label the basic parts of the human body and say which part of the body is associated with each sense Identify, name and compare a variety of common animals including fish, amphibians, reptiles, birds and mammals. identify and name a variety of common animals that are carnivores, herbivores and omnivores. observe and describe weather associated with the seasons and how day length varies. use their observations and ideas to suggest answers to questions	Hooks for learning: Visit from Ranger Stu Walk around our local area	In Computing we can ... learn about 'technology' and how it is used in school. build our knowledge of parts of a computer and develop the basic skills needed to effectively use a computer keyboard and mouse.
		In R.E. we can... share ideas about God. look for meanings for some biblical images. talk about some Christian beliefs about what God is like. express our own thoughts and ideas about what God might be like.	In PSHE we can... name a variety of different feelings and explain how these might make me behave. think of some different ways of dealing with 'not so good' feelings. when I need help and who to go to for help.
In Maths we can... identify and represent numbers using objects and pictorial representations including the number line, and use the language of: equal to, more than, less than (fewer), most, least count to and across 100, forwards and backwards, beginning with zero or 1, or from any given number identify and represent numbers using objects and pictorial representations including the number line, and use the language of: equal to, more than, less than (fewer), most, least. read and write numbers from 1 to 20 in numerals and words.	In Geography we can... locate the United Kingdom on a world map. locate the four countries of the UK on a map and learn the capital cities. identifying basic human and physical features of the local area. identify basic features, such as roads and rivers. In History we can... name significant individuals who have contributed to national/international achievements. Use a range of sources to find out about the past. Ask and answer questions about the past and illustrate our understanding	In P.E. we can... perform a range of skills with some control and consistency. perform a sequence of movements with some changes in level, direction or speed. Learn new skills to apply to netball	In Art we can... look closely to draw own features in a self-portrait. Explore how shapes are used to represent facial features.
		Our Home Learning: Reading each day for 10 – 15 minutes. New books will go home on: Monday – Library book to share with an adult. Wednesday – books based on colour band (reading level) to share or read to an adult Friday – Guided reading books to read to an adult.	In Music we can... recognise and respond to changes in tempo in music. identify and keep a steady beat using instruments. sing a song with contrasting high and low melodies.