

Autumn Term in Year 1

English

We are looking at forming a simple sentence across a variety of genres. We will be focusing on:

- Distinguish between a simple sentence and a fragment.
- Identify and use past tense verbs and adjectives.
- Identify the subject of a simple sentence.
- Expand sentences by using noun phrases
- Using linking verbs, such as; was, had and are.

We are reading...



Maths

We will be looking at:

- Place Value of numbers up to 10.
- Addition and Subtraction of numbers up to 10.
- Place Value of numbers up to 20.

Science

We will be learning about-

- Seasons and weather
- Properties of Materials

We will learn:

- How the changing seasons affect weather, our activity and clothing choices, plants and trees.
- That materials have different properties that make them suitable to be used for different jobs.

Homework

Please listen to your child read daily. Children should read for a minimum of 10 minutes each day. A short entry in their reading diary should be recorded at the end of each day. Reading books will be sent home on Thursdays and should be returned on Mondays with reading diaries. Reading for pleasure books will also come home and can be changed on a Monday.

RE

We will be focusing on our school values and learning more about our class saint, Saint Brigid.

We will also be learning about-

- Creation and Covenant- children will explore the Christian belief that everything that is comes from a loving God.
- Prophecy and Promise- children will learn the story of Jesus' birth as it is told in the Gospel of Luke.

History

We are Historians.
We are learning about:
Changes within living memory

We will be finding out about:

- The stages of our life so far.
- How shops are different today than in the 1950s.

Computing

We will be learning:

- To use an ipad to take useable photos.
- To use an ipad to record and edit sounds.
- How to keep ourselves safe when online.

PE

Our units will be:

- Fundamental Skills
- Invasion Games
- Balls Skills
- Dance

Our PE days are Tuesday and Thursday.



PSHE

We will consider and discuss:

- The difference between good and bad secrets.
- The special people in our lives who we love and trust.

MFL

In French we are learning to introduce ourselves, this includes:

- How to say my name and greet people.
- How to say how I am feeling.

Geography

We are Geographers.

We are learning about our local area.

We will be finding out about:

- What the area around our school looks like.
- How to locate Guernsey on a map and atlas.
- How to use a read a compass.



Music

We are musicians.

We will be exploring:

- Tempo- how fast or slow a piece of music is.

D&T

We are Creators and Designers

We will be preparing fruits and vegetables to make a smoothie.

Describing fruits and vegetables and explain how to identify fruits.

