

# Year 1 2026



*This term, we will be exploring a range of learning about the world. In Geography, the children will learn about different countries, looking at their unique climates and ways of life. We will compare these with our own school and local area. We are excited to have special visitors joining us this term to share their personal experiences of other countries, helping the children learn more about the wider world.*

## English

*This term in English, Year 1 will focus on the book 'Tell Me a Dragon' written by Jackie Morris. Specifically, reading the book and using the book in a sentence building unit, which will focus on verbs and subjects within a sentence. We will then be using this learning and applying it to a unit on postcards & letters. In particular, looking at Dragon post!*

## Mathematics

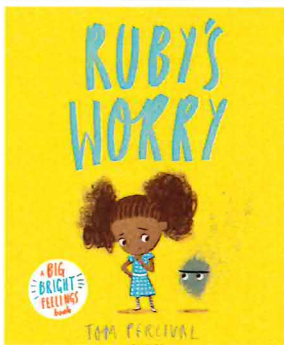
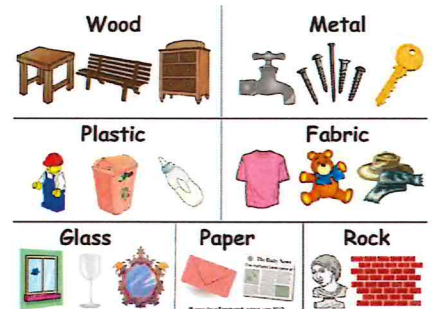
*This term in Maths, Year 1 will work on place value (within 20 and 50) and addition and subtraction (within 20). We will focus on number recognition, sequencing, and building number sentences.*

## Science

*This term in Science, we will learn about everyday materials-how & why we use specific materials for various purposes in daily life.*

## Spellings

*Spellings will be taught in class daily. We will be focusing on words with a range of set 2 sounds and then moving on to words that include set 3 sounds. The children will apply these spellings to daily learning.*



## Foundation Subjects

*History: We will explore how toys have changed over time by comparing old and new toys.*

*Design & Technology: The children will construct a windmill.*

*Geography: We will study our school grounds and learn about different areas within it.*

*Art: The children will learn about simple print making.*

*Computing: We will program simple animations and learn about directions using robots.*

*Personal Development: Children will think about aspirations and how to achieve them.*

*They will also learn how to stay safe and look after their health.*

*RE: This term, we will explore and learn about Judaism.*

*PE: Swimming and various activities that improve coordination.*

*Music: Exploring music from around the world.*

## HOME CHALLENGE

*For home learning, children can create a piece of artwork, poetry, writing, or a presentation about a country or city/town in the world that interests them.*

*Details of when to complete this by will be given towards the end of term.*

## Home Support

*To support your child's learning, please read with them daily. Please help them count in 10s and 5s, practise phonics set 2 & 3 sounds & try to encourage participation in the home learning challenge. Your involvement makes a big difference!*

## Class Book

