

# YEAR GROUP 1

## Spring Term 2018 Newsletter

This term's topic is about the weather.

'Can I be a weather presenter?'

What shall I wear today?



**GEOGRAPHY-** Use world maps, atlases and globes  
Collect weather information.

Make a weather report.

Look at hot and cold places.

Identify UK, name seas.

What we wear at different times of the year.

How weather affects people.



**SCIENCE-** Observe changes across the four seasons.

Ask and answer simple questions.

Record findings using pictures, labels and captions.

Perform a simple test.

Name the seasons and describe features about things see, touch, hear, taste.

Weather in different parts of the world.

## **LITERACY**

Fairy Tales- reading and writing.

Read and write poems with patterns, rhyme.

Read and write information texts- weather.

Punctuation- capitals, full stops, spaces, question mark.

## **NUMERACY**

Addition and subtraction within 20.

Place value to 50.

Multiples of 2, 5 and 10.

Measurement- length, height, weight  
volume.

## **R.E.**

Easter – celebrating new life.  
Creation story

## **P.E.**

Gym- wide, narrow, curled shape  
Dance- following sequence

## **ART**

Study artist Monet

Observational drawings

Printing patterns

## **I.C.T.**

Basic keyboard functions.

E safety

Select and launch programs.

Purple Mash- 2 code

Send class email

Bee-Bots – following commands

## **PSHE**

Identify differences and similarities between people.

Being responsible eg turn taking, sharing. Emotions. Keeping clean.

## **D.T.**

Make a moving storybook.

## **HOMEWORK**

Reading- please listen to your child read nightly (O.R.T. books). Please record reading in your child's Green Reading Record Book. Reading Scheme books are changed on **a specific day each week.**

Weekly homework- this will go home on **Friday**, to be completed by the following **Friday**. This term the activities will be Maths, English or topic related.

Weekly spellings- these will be sent home on **Friday**, to be learnt for the following **Thursday** test.

P.E. - Every **Tuesday** and **Friday** this half term.



**LEARN IT'S for this term-**

$4+2=6$

$5+2=7$

$6+2=8$

$4+3=7$

$6+3=9$

$7+2=9$

$8+2=10$

$9+2=11$

$5+3=8$

Useful website for Maths, Literacy and Geography-

[www.bbc.co.uk/schools](http://www.bbc.co.uk/schools)

Mymaths- [www.mymaths.co.uk](http://www.mymaths.co.uk) Username: stmaryspsh

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