

As scientists we will be identifying parts of a plant. The children will perform a dissection of a plant using scissors and grouping the parts. We will identify key similarities and differences between trees. We will name and identify common wildflowers and garden plants.

In History we will be exploring how toys have changed. We will be making comparisons between toys in the past and present, identify changes between teddy bears today and those from 100 years ago.

As musicians we will be having fun with improvisation. We will be creating new melodies and rhythms.

Using our computing skills we will develop our understanding of data and how we gather information. We will begin to demonstrate our ability to sort objects into different groups, based on the properties we choose. Finally, we will sort objects into different groups to answer questions about data.

As artists we will be exploring different printing techniques using colour, pattern, texture, line, shape, form and space to develop a wide range of art pieces.

Year 1 Summer 1 How have toys changed?

In PSHE we will be exploring relationships and how it feels to belong to a family and care about the people who are important to me.

Important information
PE is on Thursday for 1R and on a Monday and Thursday for 1E. Forest Fun is on a Monday for 1R. Please ensure your child brings in a pair of wellies and waterproof clothing when attending Forest Fun .

As mathematicians we will be exploring multiplication and division. We will begin by practising counting in 2s, 10s, and 5s both forwards and backwards. We will develop our understanding of equal groups and how they can be arranged differently. We will use this knowledge to arrange objects in columns and rows as arrays.

In English we will be enjoying the texts of Adventures of the Egg Box Dragon by Richard Adams, The Day the Crayons Quit by Oliver Jeffers and Lost in the Toy Museum by David Lucas. As writers we will be writing narratives to entertain, writing sentences in role and writing to instruct.

In R.E. we will be developing an understanding of what makes some places sacred to believers?

The year 1 phonics screening test will be carried out w/c 9th June. If you need any support or resources to practise at home please talk to your class teacher.