

# MUCH WOOLTON CATHOLIC PRIMARY SCHOOL

## YEAR 1 LEARNING JOURNEY



# Autumn 2

## Dates for your Diary



12th November - Class 4 Assembly  
19th November - Class 3 Assembly  
2nd December - Educational Visit (Shakespeare North)  
9th December - KS1 Nativity for classes 3 & 5  
11th December - KS1 Nativity for classes 4 & 6

## RELIGIOUS EDUCATION

Branch 2 - Prophecy & Promise - In this branch, pupils will explore the Christian understanding of the teaching of the prophets as they point to the fulfilment of God's promise in a Messiah, Jesus Christ. They will explore the waiting for the Messiah through the Advent season and how this speaks to Christians today as they wait for Jesus Christ.



## ENGLISH

In English, Year 1 will be continuing to develop their basic skills, including handwriting, spelling and sentence writing. We will be looking at some performance poetry and the books: Funny Bones, Pumpkin Soup and Coming Home. We will also be exploring some writing through the theme of Christmas.



## HUMANITIES

Toys in Time - In this history unit, Year 1 will be comparing toys from the past with those of today. If any grandparents or great grandparents still have any of their old toys it would be great to share them with the class.



## PSHE/RSE

Journey in Love - Children will discuss the ways that they show care and love in their family.

No Outsiders - Through stories and discussion, the children will accept and like the way they are and will learn to play with both boys and girls.

Health and Well-being - This half term will focus on children taking care of their health and well-being. They will look at different emotions and how they can understand and explain how they are feeling. They will also explore the importance of relaxation, sleep and personal hygiene.

## MATHS

Maths this term will include:

- Counting to 20
- Recognising place value to 20
- Addition and subtraction to 20.



## PHONICS

Children will continue with the Read, write, Inc. phonics scheme. They will be taught all the sounds to help them read words. They will also be taught how to segment words to spell.

## SCIENCE

Autumn/ Winter - In this topic children will discuss and investigate the changes we can see from autumn to winter. They will explore what happens to plants and animals during these seasons.

## PHYSICAL EDUCATION

In PE, children will be focussing on the skills used in gymnastics, investigating different body movements e.g. rolling and balancing. They will also be taking part in fitness lessons, where children will develop their understanding of the benefits of exercise on their physical and mental health.

## DT

In DT, we will be exploring mechanisms. We will be designing, making and evaluating our own matching slider game.

## Notice Board

- Reading books will be sent home every Monday and should be returned to school on Friday.
- Please support your child by listening to them read daily. We also encourage you to read to your child each day to help nurture their enjoyment and love of books.
- PE days are every Wednesday and Friday.
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