

Year 1 Term 6 Curriculum Letter

English

Our Book Focus: The Lighthouse Keeper's Lunch

Fiction Writing Focus: To write an alternative story.

Non-Fiction Writing Focus: To write seaside poems.

Maths

Maths Number: Children will be focusing on calculation including repeated subtractions and addition as arrays. We will also continue to practise counting in 2s, 5s and 10s.

Maths Topic: Children will focus on time, reading clocks to o'clock and half past. They will also explore common 3D shapes.

RE

How should we care for others and the world?

We will learn from different religious and spiritual ways of life about caring for people and the world we live in.

PE

What is a tactic?

Through different games we will learn how to use tactics to help defend and attack. We will also develop a range of skills whilst playing the different games.

Computing

What is an algorithm?

How do we program?

We will begin to learn what an algorithm is and how to program simple instructions into Beebots and through the use of Purplemash.

Creative Curriculum

How were Victorian times different to today?

History: As hands-on historians we will be very busy considering Victorian past times and how they are different from leisure activities today. We will go back in time and consider the lives of Grace Darling and Lionel Lukin.

Science: We will work scientifically to carry out a sand castle competition - how do we make a perfect sand castle?

D.T: As determined designers we will follow a design brief to make our own lighthouses.

PSHE

How we can look after each other and the world?

We will consider how kind and unkind behaviour can affect others. We will also think about the responsibilities we have in and out of the classroom as well as the impact we can have on the environment, suggesting ways we can help to care for it.

Music

What is the pulse in music?

We will learn how to identify the pulse in music.

We will also learn how to vary the pitch of our voices when singing.