

SOUTH BOROUGH PRIMARY SCHOOL Year 1 Learning Flyer - Term 6

This Learning Flyer shows what your child will be learning this term.

English This term, Year 1 will explore 'The Three Little Pigs' and 'Three Little Wolves and the Big Bad Pig' in English lessons. Children will retell stories, write narratives, and create reports like fact files on wolves or pigs. They'll also write letters, diary entries (from a pig's or wolf's view), design a "wanted" poster and compose a wolf poem. Throughout, they'll learn and use adjectives, adverbs, suffixes (-ed, -ing, -er, -est), plurals, connectives, and conjunctions to improve their writing.

Design and Technology

In DT, we will make bean dip and tzatziki with vegetable sticks. We'll learn that fruits and vegetables provide nutrients and some are better raw, also revisiting sweet and savoury tastes. Children will learn to cut and chop with a knife using bridge and claw techniques, practicing in session one before making the dips in session two. Finally, they'll taste and evaluate their creations, which can be eaten in class or taken home.

Science

In Science this term, Year 1 will be learning to distinguish everyday objects from the material they are made from. They will recognise everyday materials such as wood, plastic, glass, metal and rock. They will become familiar with key vocabulary used to describe everyday materials, such as soft, hard, flexible, strong, opaque and transparent. They will compare and group together materials based on their properties and discuss how and why they are used. Children will also learn about the property of magnetism. **How can I help at home?** Explore magnets and talk about it being a force we cannot see but can see things happen because of it.

Personal, Social, Health and Economic (PSHE)

Changing Me

In Jigsaw, Year 1 will learn about 'Changing Me'. They'll create animal and human life cycles, identifying changes from baby to elderly. We'll also cover differences between female and male bodies, using correct terminology for body parts.

Art

Year 1 will be learning about patterns this term and the African artist Esther Mahlangu. They will also be using their knowledge of the elements of art to create some end of year masterpieces! **Maths** This term Year 1 will be learning about position and direction, left, right, forwards, backwards, building on their prior knowledge of quarters and half by relating this terminology in relation to position. lessons.

How can you support at home? The "Robot Helper" Challenge! Play "Robot Helper" to practice position and direction! One person is the "controller," giving instructions like "forwards two steps," "turn a quarter turn right," or "go left around the table." The other person or a toy acts as the

"robot," following the commands to find a hidden treasure. Swap roles to make it even more fun and to help children understand the instructions from both sides!

Geography This term children will be learning about the seven continents and five oceans. Children will use globes and will begin to understand that a globe is a 3D model of our Earth showing continents and oceans. They will learn to recognise the north and south poles and the equator and will begin to understand what geographic location can tell us about climate. **How can I help at home?** Listen to and learn <u>the seven continents song</u> Discuss the importance of the ocean and ways in which we can look after our environment.

Computing

Year 1 will be learning how computers can be used to store, sort and categorise data. We will be using branch databases and representing data in pictograms. We will also learn how we can keep our and private data personal safe.

Physical Education (P.E)

We will be focusing on two topics, Tag Rugby and Athletics. <u>Tag Rugby</u>: we'll develop our teamwork, communication & strategic thinking skills. We'll learn how to evade defenders, pass effectively and work together to score tries; in a non-contact environment. <u>Athletics</u>: we'll be covering a range of disciplines, including running, jumping and throwing. We will have the opportunity to improve our speed, strength, agility and coordination, while also learning about different athletic techniques. **P.E for Year 1 will take place every <u>Tuesday & Friday</u> this term.**

RE Day

In RE we will be focussing on Humanism and Non-religious views and exploring other people's beliefs.



Home Learning

Read with your child and practise phonics everyday: Then sign your child's reading record to gain reading points! <u>Click Here</u> for home learning expectations.