



# SOUTH BOROUGH PRIMARY SCHOOL

## Year 1 Learning Flyer - Term 1

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

### English

In English this term, Year 1 will be practising letter formation, using capital letters, finger spaces and full stops to create sentences. In Phonics, we will continue to practise and learn single sounds, digraphs and trigraphs. We will use Fred talk and Fred fingers when reading and writing.

**How can you help?** Clicking [here](#) to hear pure sounds and practise them with your child.



### Maths

This term, Year 1 will be learning about Number - Place Value (within 10). To begin with we will be looking at sorting objects and representing numbers in different ways.

**How can you help?** Make a game of matching objects, pair socks or sort groups of animals and insects by the number of legs they have.



### Science

In Science this term, Year 1 will be learning about materials, such as wood, metal, plastic and glass. We will sort and classify objects according to the material they are made from. We will also learn about the properties of materials, such as absorbency, flexibility and transparency. Throughout the year, we will be studying the seasons. We will observe Autumnal changes over time and gather and record data about leaves.

**How can you help?** Encourage your child help sort the recycling with you, can they sort items according to their materials? Provide your child with some junk, to create something, can they tell you what materials they have used and why (Using a plastic tub for a boat because it is waterproof). Enjoy a walk in your local park, what do you notice about the trees and plants?

### Geography

This term, Year 1 will begin their first geography unit, focusing on maps and aerial views. Children will learn to: Understand what things look like from above (aerial perspective). Recognise symbols and use a key to read maps. Differentiate between physical (natural) and human (man-made) features. Use the four point compass and simple positional language. They will apply these skills by looking at simple routes on a map of a familiar location.

**How can you help?**

Look at Google Maps satellite view of your home or school and try to identify familiar things. Draw a simple map of your house or garden and have your child add symbols for different objects. Create a key to go with your map, explaining what each symbol means. Play games using words like next to, in front of, behind, and left/right to describe where things are. Use a simple park map on a family outing, let your child help follow the route.

### Design Technology Day

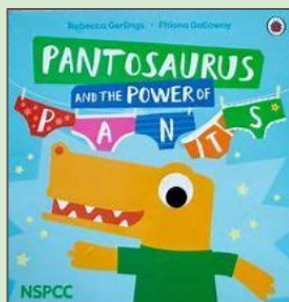
In DT, we will make bean dip and tzatziki with vegetable sticks. We'll learn that fruits and vegetables provide nutrients and some are better raw, also revisiting sweet and savoury tastes. They'll learn to cut and chop with a knife using bridge and claw techniques, practising in session one before making the dips in session two. They'll taste and evaluate their creations.

### Physical Education

During P.E we will be focusing on two topics, basketball and rapid fire cricket. This will help the children to improve their gross motor skills by helping them to learn how to catch, throw and aim. **P.E for Year 1 will be every Tuesday and Friday.**

### Personal, Social, Health and Economic Education (PSHE)

We will be learning about resilience this term. We will learn what being resilient means and how to cope with our emotions to allow us to experience success.



### R.E

In RE this term we will be looking at a number of religions. We will look at sacred places and sacred texts. We will then be discussing how different religions celebrate their special days

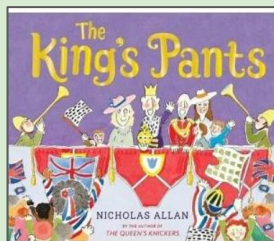
### Computing

This term we will be learning about the hardware of a computer and what the inputs and outputs are. We will practise using the school chromebooks to build our computer skills.

### Art

Year 1 will be learning about how to use lines and shapes to draw. They will be studying the artist **Paul Klee** and create some beautiful castles!

### Books we will be reading this term:



[The Kings Pants](#)



[Coming to England](#)

### Value of the Term

#### Determination

**We don't give up and aim to be the best we can be in everything we do.**

**Home Learning - [Click here](#)**

**Read with your child and practise phonics everyday: Then sign your child's reading records to gain reading points!**