**Year 1 Spring term Topic overview 2023**

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| **English:**   * Questions. * Non fiction instruction manual. * Non-fiction letter. * Story board. * Narrative writing. * Drama. * Storm poetry. * Non-fiction recount.   **Key texts:**  How to be a pirate in 10 easy stages, Peter Pan, The Pirate Cruncher, Storm Poetry. | **Stunning start:** Pirate Day! Children take part in pirate activities on the Friday of the first week.  **Marvellous Middle** Dress up as a pirate and be a member of the pirate crew for the day. | **Science:**   * Materials and their properties. * Seasonal change. |
| **Visits and visitors:**  N | **Art:**   * Explore a range of art and design techniques (colour, pattern, texture, line, shape, form and space). * Observational drawing skills. * 2D painting, 3D sculpture. |
| **History:**   * Past/present. * Ask and answer questions using sources. * Study the lives of significant individuals in the past. * Understand the ways we find out about the past. | **PE:**   * Real PE. * Real Dance/Gym. | **DT:**   * Investigate, design, build and evaluate a beach buggy. |
| **Geography:**  Geography will be taught in the Summer Term. | **Music:**   * Listen with concentration to a variety of music. * Use voices expressively. * Play untuned instruments. * Experiment with and create sounds. | **Computing:**   * Digital writing. * Grouping Data. |
| **Maths:**   * Number - place value of numbers to 50, read and write numbers 1-20 in words, represent and use number bonds to 10 and 20. * Measurement - comparing lengths and heights as taller/shorter, long/short, begin to use standard measurement. * Number - addition and subtraction of 2-digit numbers up to 20 using number lines/hundred squares. * Measurement - compare and solve problems involving mass/weight and capacity, use language heavy/light, heavier than/lighter than, full/empty, more than/less than, half full. * Money - recognise and know the value of coins and notes. * Number - place value, count forwards to and across 100, count in 2s, 5s, 10s, odd and even numbers. | **Suggestions for home learning:** | **RE:**   * Religious buildings. * Islam. * Easter. |
| **RSHE:**   * Dreams and Goals. * Healthy Me. | **Ideas from children, parents and carers:** | |