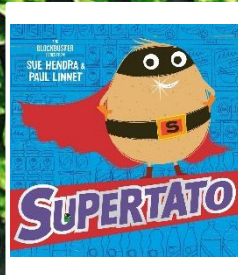


Autumn One in Year One

English

In English we are going to be looking at the sequencing of stories, ordering the beginning, middle and end. The children will be following the Talk for Writing approach for our focus text of Supertato! Year Ones will be practicing writing sentences using capital letters, finger spaces and full stops, they are also going to focus on correct handwriting formation.

We are reading...



Phonics:



Year One children will be having daily phonics lessons, continuing from EYFS in phase 4. The lessons will consist of learning how to read phonemes and represent these in words as graphemes.

Maths



In maths this term our units are Place Value and Addition and Subtraction within 20. The children will be learning about One more and One less of a given number up to 20, they will also learn about greater than, less than and equal to. We will then move on to practicing number bonds to 10 and 20, then looking at doubles and fact families.



Art

In Art we will be starting off with creating some self-portraits with a focus on different lines which are thick/thin and dark/light. Later on, we are going to create some soaring superhero artwork looking at foreground and backgrounds. Finally, we are going to create an artist study on Faith Ringgold, and have a go at creating some pieces similar to her 'story quilts.'



Geography



Our Quest topic this term is 'Superheroes' which has a geography focus. We will be learning about physical and human geographical features and relating these to a map of Bruton Primary School. The children will be able to use simple fieldwork and observational skills and construct basic symbols on a key.

Science

In science we are going to be looking at suitable materials. The children will be conducting investigations into which materials could make a suitable outfit for a coastguard. This will involve discussing relevant predictions as well as how to carry out fair tests. The children will be introduced to plenty of relevant vocabulary and encouraged to use this in their discussions and writing.

PE

Our PE lessons are going to be focused all around fitness. The children will practice a variety of skills to demonstrate speed, agility, balance, control, coordination and stamina. We will be doing plenty of relays and circuits, which teach the importance of patience and turn-taking. The children will continue to have one PE lesson with their class teacher, and one with our external sports coach.

Music



Our unit in music is called 'My Musical Heartbeat' and is all about encouraging children to express themselves through music. They will be learning how to use their voices by changing pitch and tone, as well as have a go at playing some simple tunes on glockenspiels.

Computing

We will start off our computing lessons with a session on E-safety. We will then move on to a unit on creating digital media, the children will learn how to use digital tools to organise, store, manipulate and retrieve digital content.

DT

In DT we will be making some healthy smoothies (suitable for a hard-working superhero!) The children will learn about the Eatwell plate, and where certain foods should be placed. Then they will be able to test and select from a range of ingredients before carefully preparing them by cutting, grating and peeling.



PSHE & RE

During PSHE we will be looking at the importance of exercise, and how it can affect us, both mentally and physically. The children will also learn some breathing exercises.

For RE, we will be learning all about the origin of Hinduism, looking at the key beliefs of Dharma and Deity. The children will also learn about the Hindu festival of Diwali.

