Year 1 - Autumn Term 1

Once Upon a Time

Welcome to Year 1!
Here is all the learning your child will be learning this half term…

Our year group email is Year1@leeslandschools-fed.co.uk
Please use this to send in any homework, Wacky Reader photos and to share any fantastic family or learning moments!

Maths

This term we will focus on number and measure:

- Counting and showing numbers up to 10 with objects
- Counting, reading and writing numbers up to 10 forwards and backwards
- Finding one more and one less than a given number up to 10
- Comparing groups of objects and numbers using 'fewer', 'more' and 'the same'
- Subitising and parts within a whole
- Number bonds to, and within, 10
- Comparing and ordering length, mass and height
- Describe volume using 'full', 'empty', 'half full' and 'nearly full'

Please support your child at home with these skills!

English

This term we will be looking at traditional tales, specifically the stories of The Three Little Pigs and The Three Billy Goats Gruff. We will use the story 'The Three Little Pigs' to us design, describe and create a new home for one of the key characters from the story. We will continue to use our adjectives to describe the troll from the story "The Three Billy Goats Gruff". As part of our sentence writing, will focus on correct pencil grip, letter formation, finger spaces and letters sitting our letters on the line. We will learn our Common Exception Words and use these spellings within our writing. We will then begin to look at different forms of poetry and have a go at writing our own firework shape poem. In phonics, we will be recapping sounds they have already learned and practising their blending.

Please support your child by reading a little every day – it really does add up and make a huge difference to their confidence and progress!

Science

In Science, we will be beginning a longitudinal study looking at seasonal changes throughout the year, focusing on the weather, day length and the effects on plants and minibeasts and their habitats.

Computing

We will be finding examples of 'technology' and learning how to log on and use a mouse and keyboard. independently and how to navigate the home screen. We will begin to think about how to stay safe online.

Geography

We will be considering where our school is in the local area and learning to locate it on a map. We will look at the surrounding area and identify what the school looks like from the ground and above. We will be learn where Gosport is and the four countries that make up the United Kingdom, using atlases.

DT

In DT we will be learning about free-standing structures in order to design and create our own bridge for the Three Billy Goats Gruff to cross.

PE

We will use simple gymnastics actions and shapes and apply basic strength to gymnastic actions. We will begin to carry basic apparatus, recognise like actions and link them.

RE

We will be learning about the concept of 'thanking and being thankful' through looking at Harvest and our Harvest festival.

PSHE

We will be thinking about looking after each other and the wider world.

P4C

We will be using the text 'Simon Sock' to help us explore a range of concepts such as friendship, difference, love and respect.