

English

As readers and writers, we will be reading and writing about the books Stanley's Stick and Little Red. We will be learning how to write simple sentences, using capital letters, full stops and finger spaces. We will be adding in some adjectives and practicing our pencil grip, seating position and letter formation. We will be following the Little Wandle phonic scheme. **Read regularly with your child. Homework will be based around phonics. Encourage correct letter formation when writing.**

Maths

As mathematicians, we will looking at place value for numbers up to ten. This will include counting forwards and backwards, writing the numbers as words and finding one more and one less of these numbers. Following this, we will add and subtract numbers up to ten. **Practice adding and subtracting numbers within ten.**

Science

As scientists, we will looking at materials, such as wood, metal, plastic, glass and rock. We will be asking why different materials are used for different purposes. We will also explore magnets and seeing if all metals are magnetic. We will also be looking at how the weather changes throughout the seasons. **Look at objects around the house. What are they made from and why?**

R.E

As theologians, we will Christianity and the story of creation. Following this we will be looking at the story Christmas and performing our key stage nativity.

Art and Design

As artists, we will be making different lines types and applying varying pressures and materials to make abstract pictures. We will also be exploring using and mixing primary colours to create different shades.

Practice mixing colours and using different materials to make various line types.

Humanities

As geographers, we will be looking at where we live. We will learn about the different countries in the UK and learn about some of the characteristics of each place. We will be making simple maps and learn about natural and human geographical features.

Recap on the countries in the UK. Look at basic features on a map.

P.E

As athletes, we will creating dance sequences on the different themes, such as the weather and the circus, learning core balls skills as well as gymnastic poses and fundamental PE skills.

Practice throwing and catching skills.

Music

As musicians, we will be using the Charanga scheme to listen to and appraise different tunes, as well as exploring beat and rhythm. After half term we will be practising and performing our nativity songs.

Encourage the singing of our nativity songs.

Year 1

Autumn Term 1

Boxford Primary School

Kindness Respect Perseverance

Creativity Positivity

Computing

This term our focus will be online safety. We will also be looking at computer systems and networks.

Discuss with your child how they can stay safe on-line.

P.S.H.E

During this half-term, we will focus on keeping safe in and outside school and we will be looking at our feeling.

French (KS2 only)

As linguists, we will

Subject Vocabulary

English	Maths	Science	P.E	Humanities	Art	P.S.H.E	Music	Computing	French
Capital letters	Place value	materials	balance	human	Line type	safety	tempo	On-line	
Full stops	Tens	wood	control	physical	pressure	feelings	rhythm	system	
Finger spaces	Add	metal	sequence	History maker	Primary colour		xylophone	network	
Letter formation	subtract	plastic	control	UK	Secondary colour		nativity	hardware	
Adjective		rock		maps	abstract			software	
Noun		glass		key					

HOW CAN I HELP? Activities and discussion points are written in red at the bottom of each section