### **Dates for the Diary**

### September Holidays

Friday 21st-Monday 24th September

### Mid-Term Holidays

Friday 12th October (inservice)

Monday 15<sup>th</sup> to Friday 19<sup>th</sup> October (inclusive)

#### Curriculum Open Evening

Wednesday 5th September

#### P.E. days

Wednesday and Thursday.

Please ensure children have suitable gym shoes which are clearly labelled with their name. These shoes will be worn everyday as the child's 'indoor shoes'. No jewellery should be worn on P.E. days.

# **Home Learning**

P1 have received Literacy home learning, remember to check bags every day! Numeracy home learning will follow in due course. In the meantime, please continue to talk to your child about what they have learned in school during the day, as well as reading the stories that are sent home.





**Term 1 August to October 2018** 

**Teacher: Ms Wilson** 

**Class: Primary 1** 

# Literacy

Primary 1 will be enjoying story telling and rhyme this term. By sharing a collection of familiar and repeated stories the children will learn to become active participants in story telling and even create and tell their own stories. Pupils will also be working hard to develop excellent listening skills, both in listening for instructions and listening for letter and rhyme sounds in words.

### **Numeracy**

This term Primary 1 will be learning to read, write and count numbers 0 to 10. They will do so through our Number Zoo stories where each number is represented by an animal. Why not ask your child about the numbers and animals we have learned so far. The children will be working hard to form each number correctly and use them in ordering and matching activities.

# **Sciences, Social Studies and Technologies**

Our topic this term will be 'All About Me!'. Through this topic pupils will explore all the things that are important to themthemselves, their families, their bodies, their senses and their health. They will learn that we have lots of things in common with our classmates but also lots of things that are unique to just us, the things that make us special.

### **Health and Wellbeing**

Primary 1 will be learning all about our school values of Respect, Kindness, Honesty, Doing your Best and Good Sportmanship. Pupils will think about how we can show these values in our own lives.

#### P.E.

Primary 1 will learn the rules of the gym hall and begin to safely use balls, beanbags and other small equipment in our games.

## **Religious and Moral Education**

This term's focus is Harvest. Through this topic pupils will explore the four seasons and what happens on a farm in each season. They will then consider how people across the world say thank you at Harvest time and think about things we are thankful for in our lives.

### **Expressive Arts including:**

**Drama**—The class will be enjoying role play and retelling stories.



Promoting

Music — Pupils will be sharing lots of singing and action songs.

**Art**—Primary 1 will create portraits and collages of themselves and their friends and families to share as part of our topic.