

## **Dates for the Diary**

### **September Holidays**

Friday 27<sup>th</sup> & Monday 30<sup>th</sup> Sept

### **Mid-Term Holidays**

Friday 11<sup>th</sup> October (in-service)

Monday 14<sup>th</sup> to Friday 18<sup>th</sup> October (inclusive)

### **Curriculum Open Evening**

Wednesday 4<sup>th</sup> September

### **P.E. days**

Monday and Wednesday.

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.



# **Curricular Information**

**Term 1: August to October 2019**

**Teacher: Miss Bannerman**

**Class: Primary 1**

## Literacy



Primary 1 will be enjoying story telling and rhyme this term through Nursery Rhymes. By sharing a collection of familiar and repeated nursery rhymes the children will learn to become active participants in story telling and even create and tell their own stories. We 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 P1 will be learning to read, write and count numbers 0 to 10. We 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. We will be working hard to form each number correctly and use them in ordering and matching activities.

## Sciences, Social Studies and Technologies

Learning through play, P1 are enjoying simple coding by programming Bee-Bots. We are also using sand and water to investigate floating and sinking, and what makes things stop and go.



## Health and Wellbeing

Primary 1 will be learning all about our school values of Respect, Kindness, Honesty, Doing your Best and Good Sportmanship. We 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 P1 will explore the four seasons and what we can find happening on a farm in each season. We 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**—We will be enjoying role play and retelling stories through use of BBC Schools Radio. Acting out favourite fairy tales and nursery rhymes.



**Music**—Singing and getting to know various percussion instruments.

**Art**—Nursery Rhyme and Autumn artwork.