

## History and Geography

We will learn about our solar system. We will look at astronauts from the past and the present. We will use key vocabulary such as comet, gravity etc..

We are hoping to visit a local allotment.

Class 1, Year 1  
2017-18 Summer Term 1

### Theme: Space

We will be learning about famous astronauts especially Neil Armstrong. Also about the different planets and where they are in the solar system. They will also have the opportunity to work in the space area and then pretend to write a letter home.

To learn about how they change and grow and about the responsibilities they have at that age e.g being responsible for their book bag.

To discuss how they could help to look after their local environment.

## PSCHE

## ART/D&T

We will create a space picture using a range of media. We will be looking at the work of other artists and discussing what they see in the art work and how the art work makes them feel. We will use statements such as; I like this because ...

Dear Parents/Carers,

This newsletter details the topic areas that your child will take part in during the afternoons whilst they are in Class 1. English and Maths will be taught separately by Mrs Brooke-Mawson in the morning although the skills learnt in these core areas are continually reinforced throughout all of the subjects. Please come and see myself or Mrs Brooke - Mawson if you have any questions or comments regarding your child's learning.

Thank you.

## SCIENCE

Our science for this half term is all about investigations and practical activities. We will take part in lots of fun activities to develop our thinking skills, observation skills along with our scientific knowledge and understanding. I'm sure the children will enjoy all these activities!

## Music

In music this half term we will continue to learn a selection of songs which link to our topics. We will also continue to practise our listening skills along with developing our work on rhythm and beat. We will use instruments as accompaniments.

## Religious education

In RE this half term we will be learning about what it means to care for others. We will think about who we care for, who cares for us and how we can show this. We will also think more about how we can be a caring class.

## ICT

We will use a power point presentation to answer questions about the astronaut Neil Armstrong. We will carry out research about the planets in our solar system.

## Cross-curricular English & Maths

Please see separate sheet provided by Mrs Brooke Mawson.