Curriculum Overview for Year 1

English

Reading
- Match graphemes for all phonemes
- Read accurately by blending sounds
- Read words with very common suffixes
- Read contractions & understand purpose
- Read phonics books aloud
- Link reading to own experiences
- Join in with predictable phrases
- Discuss significance of title & events
- Make simple predictions

Writing
- Name letters of the alphabet
- Spell very common 'exception' words
- Use very common prefixes & suffixes
- Form lower case letters correctly
- Form capital letters & digits
- Compose sentences orally before writing
- Read own writing to peers or teachers

(KS1) Grammar
- Leave spaces between words.
- Begin to use basic punctuation . ! ?
- Use capital letters for proper nouns.
- Use common plural & verb suffixes

Speaking & Listening
- Listen & respond appropriately
- Ask relevant questions
- Maintain attention & participate

Mathematics

Number/Calculation
- Count to / across 100
- Count in 1s, 2s, and 10s
- Identify 'one more' and 'one less'
- Read & write numbers to 20
- Use language, e.g. 'more than', 'most'
- Use +, - and = symbols
- Know number bonds to 10
- add and subtract one-digit and two-digit numbers to 20, including zero
- Solve one-step problems
- Represent amounts in a variety of ways
- Correctly form numerals

Geometry & Measures
- Recognise & name common 2-d and 3-d shapes
- Order & arrange objects

Art & Design (KS1)

- Use a range of materials
- Use drawing, painting and sculpture
- Develop techniques of colour, pattern, texture, line, shape, form and space
- Learn about range of artists, craftsmen and designers

Computing (KS1)

- Communicate online safely and respectfully
- Recognise uses of IT outside of school

Design & Technology (KS1)

- Design purposeful, functional & appealing products
- Generate, model & communicate ideas
- Use range of tools & materials to complete practical tasks
- Evaluate existing products & own ideas

Geography (KS1)

- identify seasonal / daily weather patterns in the UK and the location of hot and cold areas of the world
- Use basic geographical vocabulary to refer to local & familiar features
- Compare local area to a non-European country
- Use basic vocabulary to describe a less familiar area
- Use simple fieldwork and observational skills to study the immediate environment

PSHE (KS1)

(From the PSHE Association Programme of study)

Through planned lessons and incidental teaching children will learn about;
- Identity
- Relationships
- Diversity and equality

Music (KS1)

- Sing songs
- Play tuned & untuned instruments musically
- Listen & understand live and recorded music
- Make and combine sounds musically

Science (Y1)

Biology
- Identify & compare common animals

Chemistry
- Distinguish between objects & materials
- Identify & name common materials
- Describe simple properties of some materials
- Compare & classify materials

Physics
- Observe weather associated with changes of season

History (KS1)

Key Individuals
- Lives of significant historical figures

Key Events
- e.g. Bonfire night
- Events of local importance

Physical Education

- Master basic movement, e.g. running, jumping, throwing, catching, balance, agility and co-ordination
- Participate in team games
- Perform dances using simple movement

Religious Education

We will be looking at the key themes of;
- Believing: What people believe about God, humanity and the natural world
- Story: How and why some stories are sacred and important in religion
- Celebrations: How and why celebrations are important in religion
- Symbols: How and why symbols express religious meaning
- Leaders and teachers: figures who have an influence on others locally, nationally and globally in religion
- Belonging: Where and how people belong and why belonging is important
- Myself: Who I am and my uniqueness as a person in a family and community.