



PUSCPS – LEARNING OVERVIEW

(P1)– Term 2 (October - December 2022)

This is an overview of all P1 learning. These experiences may be differentiated to support and challenge each child.

The main focus for learning this term will be:

The Nativity (Magical Christmas Journey)

Literacy

Listening and Talking

- Turn-taking through games.
- Making eye-contact and speaking clearly during show and tell and circle time
- To speak to an audience clearly
- Sharing ideas and thoughts across learning.
- Identifying sounds in words for reading and writing

Writing

These skills will be developed through different writing genres

- Mark-making in play using different materials.
- Mark-making alongside pictures to label or tell stories.
- Form taught letters.
- Beginning to write a series of words/short sentences.
- Writing common words.
- Writing 2/3 letter words more independently through listening for individual sounds
- Writing linked to IDL

Reading

- Beginning to recognise lower-case letters and their sound.
- Blending 2/3 sounds to read short words.
- Reading common words.
- Tracking from left to right.
- Recognising word boundaries and spaces.
- Making predictions about stories from picture clues.
- Answer questions about characters and events.
- Identifying the 'Title, Author etc' of a book.

Numeracy

- **Number:** forming numbers correctly / estimating larger and smaller amounts / counting objects accurately /talking about numbers 'before' and 'after' addition facts to10 and beyond / counting backwards from 20 or 30/partitioning numbers
- **Time:** beginning to recognise o'clock times on analogue and digital clocks
- **Shape:** recognise, sort and describe common 2D and 3D shapes

Health and Wellbeing

- Looking after baby
- Firework safety
- PE – Ball skills and tennis

Interdisciplinary Learning



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- Fairyland/Castles
- The Nativity (Magical Christmas Journey) – working with all infant classes, to plan, prepare and perform the Nativity

Discrete subjects

Music – Nativity songs
French – Basic greetings
Science – The 5 senses/ The human life cycle
RME – The Christmas Story

Opportunities for personal achievement and involvement in the ethos and life of the school

- ‘Living Our Values’ certificates.
- Class assemblies/ Achievement Assemblies
- Performing in the Nativity
- Pupil Voice Groups
- Enterprise for Christmas Fayre

Other information

- PE days this term are Monday and Wednesday. Children should come to school with appropriate footwear (trainers) and clothing (plain joggers) on these days. Wellington boots etc. are not safe footwear for in the hall.
- Please pack snack/water separately from packed lunches.
- **Please label all school items.**
- Ipay Impact will be used for ordering lunches. Children can select their choices at home. **Please order with your child at home.**
- Mrs Mooney will cover class RCCT on a Wednesday afternoon. We also have Mrs Hamill, our Pupil Support Worker working with us in class.

Many thanks,

Mrs Strachan