Y1 Curriculum Leaflet

‘Mapping skills.'

We hope you had a great Christmas break from Mr Branskey and Mrs Plummer/Mrs Pope in Year 1

English
In English we will look at the story of the Naughty Bus and then plan our own routes for the bus to take and write them up as little adventures. This will develop the children’s understanding of narratives and sequencing events. We will then read Town Mouse and Country Mouse which will link to our Geography work.

Science
Our science topic will be comparing materials and their properties. We will also be sorting materials according to their uses.

Matthews
In maths we are consolidating our understanding of numbers to 10 including odd and even, and skip counting. We will learn how to partition numbers and begin to remember number bonds and pairs. We will learn how to find missing parts.

Readers
We like to have regular reading volunteers, who can help support children in school. If you would like to help please see your child’s class teacher.

Homework
Year 1
- Daily Reading
- Weekly spellings

What are we learning this term?

Geography
In geography we are developing our knowledge of maps. We are starting off by trying to draw a plan of the classroom looking at it from above, beginning to think about aerial views. We will then look at our local area and use OS symbols to create a map of our surroundings, including the train station, canal and church.

Physical Education
We will be developing our skills in net and wall games and striking and fielding games.

Religious Education
In RE, we will be exploring how different religions welcome babies into the world.

Computing
We are using computer software to group and organise objects.

Art
In art we look at sculptures and the work of Andy Goldsworthy who uses natural materials to create works of art. Children will use this as inspiration for their own ideas.