



# Homework

Across Key Stage One, homework will be set weekly, involving either a Maths or Letters and Sounds/Grammar related activity.

In addition to this, a choice board will be sent out at the start of each half term to provide **optional** activities which your child may wish to complete. These additional pieces of homework will be celebrated within your child's class when the teacher allocates time to do so.

Homework will be sent home and posted in 'Its Learning' on **Wednesday** and should be returned to school on the following **Monday**.

We encourage you to take time daily to read with your child and please record this in their blue reading record. At the start of the year, a word wall will also be sent home in reading diaries to highlight the common exception words that your child will need to work towards being able to read and spell across the school year.

For the younger children, lessons often require lots of resources. Sometimes we send out a note requesting your children to bring in items which will support lessons taking place at school. Your support is much appreciated.

## Letters and Sounds

The Year 1 Children will continue to work on Phase 5 phonemes and the Year 2 Children will continue to use the 'Read, Write, Spell' program.

## PE

Please ensure your child comes to school wearing the correct PE kit on their correct days. If you are unsure of these days - please see the class teacher.

For further information about what your child is learning, please feel free to contact;

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Teachers have one planning session per week so please allow up to 7 days for a reply – thank you. Should you need to contact Mr Clark for **serious matters** the email address is: [headteacher@st-bartholomews.leics.sch.uk](mailto:headteacher@st-bartholomews.leics.sch.uk)



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## Key Stage One - Projection of Work Spring 2022

Topics:



Fantastic and Fascinating

A step back in time.



## St Bartholomew's CARES

- C** - **Co-operate** kindly with others
- A** - **Aware** that everyone is important and individual
- R** - **Respect** others and take **Responsibility** for our actions
- E** - **Enjoy** school and be **Enthusiastic**
- S** - achieve **Success** through challenging ourselves to;

**GIVE OUR BEST**

## School Rules

- Follow instructions with thought and care.
- Keep hands, feet and unkind thoughts to ourselves.
- Walk quietly through the school.

**Whole School Collective Worship Theme:**



## English A B C

The children will follow a cross curricular approach to develop their reading and writing.

These include;



- Narrative, poetry and instruction writing.
- Non- Fiction and Fiction
- There will also be an author study based on 'Roald Dahl' where we will be looking at the Enormous Crocodile and Fantastic Mr Fox.

We will also be developing;

- Handwriting – correct pencil grip, letter formation and joining up letters
- The use of capital letters, full stops and conjunctions
- Speaking and Listening during drama activities
- Identifying nouns, verbs, adjectives, and adverbs

## Maths

We will focus on developing skills of mental arithmetic and work to improve recall of number bonds, sequences, doubles, halves, addition and subtraction.

The Key Stage One programme of study for the Spring Term will follow the 'Maths No Problem' scheme of work. This will include;

- Number sequences
- Counting steps of 2, 3, 5 and 10
- Place value – recognise the place value of digits.
- Compare and order numbers
- Addition and subtraction
- Multiplication of 2, 5 and 10
- Mental calculations
- Measurement - focus on length and mass
- Graphs including tally charts and pictograms
- Practical Maths and solving mathematical problems



## Computing



During this term we will be learning what the internet is and how to keep safe on the internet. We will also be learning what information is safe to share on the internet.

We will also be looking at different types of media and will be using these to make short presentations to our peers.

## Topic



### Fantastic and Fascinating

In this topic we will be investigating the world we live in. In Geography we will look at the differences between the hot and cold areas in the world in relation to the equator. In Science we will look at living things in their habitats including what they eat and life cycles. In PE, we will be continuing to develop our gymnastic skills by using different equipment. During our outdoor PE lessons, we will be learning how to play cricket. We will look at music from other cultures and explore the work of artists Mondrian, Rothco, Klee, Pollock, Delaunay & Blake through the theme of Colour Chaos. We will be visiting Coventry Cathedral during this half term.

### A step back in time.

In Science we will be looking at Victorian inventions and inventors and the materials they used. Our History will be taught alongside English where we will use non-fiction books to look at different Victorians. We will continue learning to play the ocarina in our music lessons. In Art we will be looking at the design features of different buildings. We will look at Victorian Leicestershire and in particular Beaumanor Hall. This will link to the Victorian day we will have at Beaumanor Hall. Our indoor PE lessons will also link to our topic and we will explore different Victorian Games. In outdoor PE, we will be learning to play Tag Rugby.

## MFL

We will be learning some simple greetings and phrases in French.

## RE

We will be learning about what makes some places sacred. The children will identify special objects and symbols found in a place where people worship. We will visit Coventry Cathedral to reinforce this learning.

We will also learn about the beliefs of Jewish people and why Easter is an important religious festival.



## PSHE



We will be learning about what dreams and goals we have and can achieve in the New Year, as well as thinking about the importance of staying healthy.