

## English

### **Reading:**

We will develop our reading skills through Read Write Inc. We will be continuing to develop our understanding and application of phonics.

### **Writing:**

In writing, we will be practising writing simple sentences using finger spaces, phonics for spelling, capital letters and full stops. We will be looking in depth at *The Dragon and the Nibblesome Knight* and *The Dragon Machine*. These texts will inspire a variety of different written outcomes including descriptions, instructions, letters and recounts.

In handwriting we will continue to practise letter formation.



## Music

In music, we will be learning about pitch, rhythm, beat, and learning new songs and rhymes.

## R.E.

The children are going to explore Hinduism. We will look at the use of symbols.

## Computing

This term, we will be learning to:  
Stay safe online  
Spreadsheets  
Pictograms

## Maths

In maths, we will continue to develop our understanding of number. We will develop our place value understanding within 20. We will investigate multiples of 2, 5 and 10, equal groups, doubles and halves and quarters as an introduction to multiplication, division and fractions.

Later, we will investigate money and time, through practical activities. As well as position direction. Throughout all our lessons, we will be using mathematics in practical situations to solve problems.

# Year 1 Summer 2026 Castles and Knights



## P.E.

Net and wall  
Dance  
Athletics



## Science

In science, we will be looking at growing plants and seasonal changes. We will be looking at wild and garden plants as well as the basic structure of a variety of common flowering plants, including trees.



## Art and DT

In art, we will be creating our own castle prints inspired by our Castles and Knights topic. We will also be designing and building a junk model castle.

## P.S.H.E – Jigsaw Jack

This term, we will be following the Jigsaw scheme of work with a focus on 'Relationships' and 'Changing me' explored in circle time discussions.

## History

In history, we will be focussing on Kings and Queens of the Castles. We will be looking at the lives of significant individuals in the past who have contributed to national and international achievements.