# This half term in Year 1 we will be learning...

### Literacy

Children will be taught Literacy on a daily basis with an hour lesson each day. We will continue to follow the Read Write Inc program. Writing skills will also be taught through other subject areas within the topic.

### Numeracy

Children will continue developing their skills in number, counting, partitioning and calculating as well as using practical strategies for addition and subtraction. They will also explore money, data handling, measures, shape and number patterns and problem solving. They will continue to learn by heart number facts such as doubles, halves, bonds to 10, simple counting patterns.

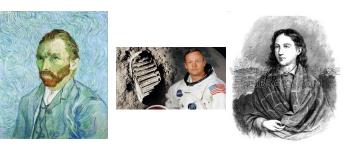
### History

In history children will begin to develop their understanding of a range of significant historic people and events. They will learn about the lives of significant individuals globally, nationally and locally who have impacted upon our lives today. Some of the people we will be studying include Julia Donaldson, Robert Falcon Scott, Neil Armstrong, Grace Darling, Alexander G Bell and George Stephenson.

#### Music

In music children will listen to a range of music and explore composition and notation.

# Fantastic & Famous!



## P.E

The children will continue to work with a sports partnership teacher developing their dance skills. They will also learn about famous sports people including Olympians, footballers, golfers and tennis players and the sports they are involved in.

### Art and DT

In Art children will explore the work of the famous artists Vincent Van Gogh and Wassily Kandinsky. They will explore form, colour, light and shade.

The children will use a range of joining techniques in DT to create a model rocket and steam engine.

## ICT

The children will use the internet to research the lives of a range of famous people. They will use espresso, BBC primary history and various websites linked to particular people.

### R.E

In R.E. we will be learning about Jesus as a special friend. Children will enjoy exploring stories from the Bible and Christian beliefs about Jesus.