# This half term, Year 1 will be learning...

## **English**

Read Write Inc will be taught daily incorporating spelling, punctuation and spelling knowledge. The children will have a focus on handwriting where they will begin form letters using lead in lines. Children will apply their writing skills through other subject areas within the topic. We will focus on a variety of narrative and non-fiction books that link to our topic, as well as poetry.

#### Science

During this topic children will be learning about plants, including growing a seed, labelling parts of a plant and naming common garden and wildflower plants. We will also look at identifying evergreen and deciduous trees.

#### Maths

Children will continue developing their skills in number. This half term we will be focusing on place value within 10 as well as addition and subtraction within 10. Taking a mastery approach, children will have a deeper understanding of numbers, their worth and be able to manipulate numbers appropriately to solve problems and calculations.

#### **PSHE**

Children will learn to work as a team as well as building their resilience and communication through their Commando Joe's sessions with specialist NUFC coaches.

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#### R.E

In R.E. the children will be learning about what Christians believe God is like. We will be focusing on the parable the Lost Son and the story of Jonah.

## Geography

In Geography the children will look at maps and aerial photographs of our classroom, our school and the local area to develop their Geographical skills and fieldwork. We will also go on a walk around the local area.

#### Art

Children will be focusing on elements of art where they will draw different types of lines and practice mixing secondary colours to recreate a piece of artwork.

### P.E

Children will be taught by specialist coaches from NUFC for 1 lesson per week. The other lesson will be based on playing games to improve fitness and learning how to keep our bodies healthy.

## Music

In music children will be taught singing, notation and rhythms by Mrs Milner in their weekly lesson.

## Computing

Children will be taught to write algorithms and to program a robot to follow a set of instructions. We will also problem solve to find faults and debug algorithms.