

# Corsham Primary School

## Parent/Carer Curriculum Newsletter

Year: 1 Class Teachers: Miss White and Miss Pople

### Summer Term 2022

(25/04/22 – 22/07/22)

The following information will provide you with an overview of the objectives the children will be focusing on this term. We hope you will find it useful.

#### Being a Mathematician



##### Place Value (100)

- Count to and across 100, forwards and backwards, beginning with 0 or 1, or from any given number
- Count, read and write numbers to 100 in numerals
- Given a number, identify one more and one less
- Identify and represent numbers using objects and pictorial representations including the number line, and use the language of: equal to, more than, less than (fewer), most, least

##### Fractions

- Recognise, find and name a half as one of two equal parts of an object, shape or quantity
- Recognise, find and name a quarter as one of four equal parts of an object, shape or quantity

##### Measures- Money

- Recognise and know the value of different denominations of coins and notes

##### Measures- Time

- Compare, describe and solve practical problems for: time [for example, quicker, slower, earlier, later]
- Measure and being to record time (hours, minutes, and seconds)
- Sequence events in chronological order using language [for example, before and after, next, first, today, yesterday, tomorrow, morning, afternoon and evening]

##### Measure – Mass/weight and Capacity/volume

- Measure and begin to record mass/weight, capacity and volume
- Compare, describe and solve practical problems for mass/weight [for example, heavy/light, heavier than, lighter than], capacity and volume [for example, full/empty, more than, less than, half, half full, quarter]

#### Being an Author – Writer



- Use some narrative language features e.g. adjectives /story language borrowed from the original text - genre specific language features
- Use some non-fiction language features e.g. imperative verbs for instructions – genre specific language features
- Use main narrative and non-fiction organisational features
- Spell compound words and the Y1 common exception words
- Spell verbs ending in suffixes -ing, -ed
- Spell words containing the range of Y1 phonemes
- Spell adjectives ending in suffixes -er and –est
- Spell words using the prefix –un
- Spell plural nouns by adding –s and –es

<p><b>Being an Author – Reader</b></p> 	<p><b>Applying phonics</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Match all 40+ graphemes when reading</li> <li>• Read word that have an omitted letter and to know that an apostrophe represents the omitted letter</li> <li>• Find contractions in their reading</li> <li>• Read words with contractions</li> <li>• Read compound words e.g. football, playground, farmyard, bedroom</li> </ul> <p><b>Reading for pleasure</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Agree or disagree with the opinion of others</li> <li>• Say why they agree or disagree with the opinion of others</li> <li>• Recognise patterned or repeated language in the poems and rhymes I know</li> <li>• Know some poems and rhymes off by heart</li> </ul> <p><b>Poetry</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Recite or perform a poem making the meaning clear</li> <li>• Talk about favourite words and phrases</li> </ul> <p><b>Reading fluently with accuracy and understanding</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Discuss the meaning of unfamiliar vocab with others</li> <li>• Know that stories can have similar patterns of events</li> <li>• Make links with other stories</li> <li>• Make links with characters from other stories</li> <li>• Answer retrieval questions about a book</li> <li>• Understand that an author can leave gaps for the reader to fill</li> </ul>
<p><b>Being a Scientist</b></p> 	<p><b>What grows near me?</b></p> <p><b>What is my hat made from?</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Ask simple questions and recognise that they can be answered in different ways</li> <li>• Observe closely, using simple equipment</li> <li>• Perform simple tests</li> <li>• Identify and classify</li> <li>• Use observations and ideas to suggest answers to questions</li> <li>• Gather and record data to help in answering questions</li> </ul> <p><b>Plants</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Identify and name a variety of common wild and garden plants, including deciduous and evergreen trees</li> <li>• Identify and describe the basic structure of a variety of common flowering plants, including trees</li> </ul> <p><b>Everyday Materials</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Distinguish between an object and the material from which it is made</li> <li>• Identify and name a variety of everyday materials, including wood, plastic, glass, metal, water and rock</li> <li>• Describe the simple physical properties of a variety of everyday materials</li> <li>• Compare and group together a variety of everyday materials based on their simple physical properties</li> </ul>
<p><b>Being an Engineer (Design and Technology)</b></p> 	<p><b>What grows near me?</b></p> <p><b>What is my hat made of?</b></p> <p><b>What might I do in the future?</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Understand where food comes from</li> <li>• Design purposeful, functional appealing products for themselves and other users based on design criteria</li> <li>• Select from and use a range of tools and equipment to perform practical tasks (for example cutting, shaping, joining and finishing)</li> <li>• Evaluate and explore a range of existing products</li> <li>• Build structures, exploring how can they can be made stronger, stiffer and more stable</li> <li>• Select from and use a wide range of materials and components including construction materials, textiles and ingredients, according to characteristics</li> </ul>
<p><b>Being an Historian</b></p> 	<p><b>Who helps who?</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Know where people and events they study fit in a chronological framework</li> <li>• Wide vocabulary of historical terms</li> <li>• Ask and answer questions about the past</li> <li>• Understand how we find out about past</li> </ul>

	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Significant historical events people and place in locality- Princess Campbell, Florence Nightingale and Mary Seacole</li> </ul>
<p><b>Being an Engineer (Computing)</b></p> 	<p><b>Curious Computing</b>  <b>1A Consolidation of EYFS Computing</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Confidently talk about 'computers' and different components</li> <li>• Confidently receive and give clear instructions</li> <li>• Understand how to categorise and represent basic data</li> </ul>
<p><b>Being a Geographer</b></p> 	<p><b>What grows near me?</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Human and physical <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- use basic geographical vocabulary to refer to key physical features including: forest, soil, vegetation, garden, seasons and weather;</li> <li>- key human features including: city, town, farm, country.</li> </ul> </li> </ul>
<p><b>Being an Artist</b></p> 	<p><b>How does my school change?</b>  <b>What might I do in the future?</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Use a range of materials creatively to design and make products</li> <li>• Use drawing, painting and sculpture to develop and share their ideas, experiences and imagination</li> <li>• Develop a wide range of art and design techniques in using colour, pattern, texture, line, shape, form and space</li> </ul>
<p><b>Being an Athlete</b></p> 	<p><b>Games</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Master basic movement skills and beginning to develop simple tactics for defending</li> <li>• Engage in competitive and co-operative activities</li> <li>• Work with a partner in a variety of co-operative games</li> </ul> <p><b>Athletics</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Master basic movements including running, jumping and throwing as well as developing balance, agility and co-ordination</li> </ul>
<p><b>Being a Philosopher (Religious Education)</b></p> 	<p><b>Discovery RE</b>  Shabbat- Is Shabbat important to Jewish children?  Rosh Hashanah and Yom Kippur- Are Rosh Hashanah and Yom Kippur important to Jewish children?</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Use the right names for things that are special to Jewish people during Shabbat and explain why</li> <li>• Start to make a connection between being Jewish and decisions about behaviour</li> <li>• Know what Rosh Hashanah or Yom Kippur is about</li> </ul>
<p><b>Being a Philosopher (PSHE/Jigsaw)</b></p> 	<p><b>Relationships:</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• I can tell you why I appreciate someone who is special to me and express how I feel about them</li> </ul> <p><b>Changing me:</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Understand the life cycles of humans and animals</li> <li>• Understand how my body has changed since I was a baby</li> </ul>
<p><b>Being a Linguist</b></p> 	<p><b>Spanish</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Basic Spanish greetings</li> <li>• Use Spanish words for 'thank you' 'yes' 'no' 'good bye'</li> </ul>

**Other Information:**

Home Learning will continue to be uploaded onto Seesaw every other Friday.

We greatly appreciate the continued support you provide when reading with your child. Please continue to add a short comment or sign the reading log to indicate the book has been read.

Please ensure your child brings a full water bottle into school every day.

There will be two PE sessions a week, one inside and one outside. Please ensure your child has a complete labelled PE kit, including some tracksuit bottoms for outdoor games.

We are looking forward to the term ahead. If you have any questions then please do ask.

Many thanks,

*Miss White, Miss Pople*

The Year 1 Team at PP