

Key Books

What makes me a me?
Little Red Riding hood
Goldilocks and the Three Bears

RSE

Have you filled a bucket today?
Peace at last

Our bodies

How do we use our 5 senses?

Science

How do we use our bodies?

What are the seasons and how do we know?

R.E.

Harvest

What do Christians learn from the stories of Jesus?

Geography

UK capital cities

Identifying continents and oceans

Back To Nature

Year 1 Autumn 2022

Artist:
Molly Haslund

ART and DT

Exploring Spirals
Exploring different media.

P.E.

Jumping and Dance

Multi Skills

Computing

Creating and saving a word document

Typing a sentence to create a class story

RSE/PSHE

Anti-bullying

NSPC Speak out

School bee rules

Looking after myself

Our topic this half term is 'Back to Nature'. This is an outdoor and well-being focused topic with an emphasis on taking care of ourselves, others and our natural environment, including the school grounds. This will be a Science, Geography, Art based topic.

MOLES

Making Outdoor Learning Exciting – Forest School Style Activities, including how to use tools

Maths	English
<p data-bbox="203 236 358 263"><u>Place Value</u></p> <p data-bbox="203 272 705 300"><u>We will be teaching your child how to:</u></p> <ul data-bbox="253 316 1086 507" style="list-style-type: none"> <li data-bbox="253 316 779 343">• Count forwards and backwards to 10 <li data-bbox="253 355 649 383">• Say one more and one less <li data-bbox="253 395 1086 464">• Compare groups, use language such as equal, more, greater, less, fewer <li data-bbox="253 477 857 507">• Order numbers and objects, 1st, 2nd, 3rd... <p data-bbox="203 555 528 582"><u>Addition and subtraction</u></p> <p data-bbox="203 592 705 619"><u>We will be teaching your child how to:</u></p> <ul data-bbox="253 635 958 746" style="list-style-type: none"> <li data-bbox="253 635 891 662">• Solve problems with addition and subtraction <li data-bbox="253 675 884 702">• Use a variety of mental and written methods <li data-bbox="253 715 958 746">• Recall and use addition and subtraction facts to 10 	<p data-bbox="1131 236 2029 343">We start this half-term by writing a summer holiday recount. We will then be using our 'back to nature' topic and outdoor learning as a stimulus for some non-fiction and fiction.</p> <p data-bbox="1131 391 2029 577">Each week we have a lesson where we focus on a specific aspect of spelling, punctuation and grammar. We will focus on, how to use, finger spaces, full stops and capital letters. The children will also have opportunities to develop their spoken language through Drama and performance poetry.</p>

Newdigate's Values and Bee Rules

Our value this term is '**Love**', followed by '**Peace**' after half term. We will be learning about [Mary Seacole](#) as part of 'Love,' and [Dalai Lama](#) when we look at the value of 'Peace.' Please try to find the time to discuss these values with your child. You may also wish to use the terminology of our **bee rules** at home. Many parents have commented on how helpful they are.



Year 1 other information

- Children will need to arrive at 8:50am at the Foxes classroom door. School finishes at 3:10. We are aware that some parents are picking up from other schools and require a prompt dismissal so are happy to see these children out slightly early, please try and be near the front of the line if this applies to you.
- Please remember to bring bookbags in each day as they will need to change their reading books and You Read to Me books as well as hand in and take-home homework.
- Homework in Year one consists of one piece of English and one piece of Maths. Occasionally there will be another task to complete, for example a Science or Art task. The children have two weeks to complete their homework and the first homework will be set the week commencing 19th September. Children will come home with a homework book and homework needs to be handed in in this book and will be replaced with the new homework.
- Children need to provide their own pencil case which contains: pencils, a ruler, a glue stick and colouring pencils. Please keep the size of the pencil case to a minimum, no larger than 30cm by 10cm as otherwise it makes it difficult to store them all!
- Our PE days will be a Wednesday and Friday. The children need to come to school in their PE kit on these days. Children should wear black joggers or shorts and trainers with either their Newdigate PE top or their polo and jumper. Fridays will be our 'Feel Good Friday' and will involve a rotation of Yoga, Additional RE and well-being lessons and MOLES. Therefore, children should bring wellies and they can bring additional clothing to prevent their PE kit becoming muddy. Our MOLE days will be on 30th September and 7th and 14th October.

We look forward to seeing you on Monday. thanks,

Miss Langthorne and Miss Hill and the Year 1 team