

## Information for Parents - Outline Plan for Learning and Teaching

**Topic / Project Title:** Harvest

### Languages

**Reading:** As a class after break or lunch time we share 1 or 2 books a day. The children will engage with a range of different questions whilst listening and following along. We discuss our likes and dislikes, look for words with our sounds and try to retell the story in our own ways.

**Spelling and Grammar:** We have began learning sounds, following the Jolly Phonics framework. The first sounds they will learn over the course of the next few weeks are: **c, k, e, h, r, m, d.**

**Writing:** Primary 1 will have daily practice of writing their names independently. We will also learn about correct letter formation when writing our sounds. These can be practiced at home, trying to remember how we hold our pencils..

### Expressive Arts

We will experiment with printing this period, using different fruits and vegetables to create a pattern.

In drama we will be exploring the story of the enormous turnip and acting it out.

Primary 1 will continue have the opportunity to use a range of art materials and resources during topic time and free play in the atrium and classroom.

### Social Studies

Our class topic for this period will be about Autumn and Harvest. We will be learning about different types of food linked to harvest and what is involved in the harvest process. We will discuss fruits, vegetables and crops which are harvested, have a chance to taste some and we will think about why they are healthy.

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### Mathematics

**Numeracy:** Primary 1 are continuing to learn to recognise and order numbers up to 10. The children will be engaging in a range of activities including: their learning sheets, SMART board games and games in the classroom. We will practice counting up to and beyond 20 verbally, for example when we are counting how many children are in the line.

**Mathematics:** This period, Primary 1 will be learning about measurement. Measuring length, capacity and weight using non standard measurements. We will be comparing and ordering length, weight and capacity.

### Health & Wellbeing

We will continue to learn about being a friendship builder and what makes a good friend through the stories from Friendship Terrace.

In P.E primary one will continue to learn about moving within a space, thinking about looking out for where others are. We will practise travelling in different ways and play movement games that require us to listen for instructions.