

# Curriculum Information for Parents Summer Term 2

Year

# **Literacy and Maths**

#### Literacy –

The children will continue with their daily Phonics sessions and will have any new sounds put in their Phonics Books weekly. Please practise these sounds alongside your child's reading. Reading books are changed on a Friday and we encourage the children to read their books 4 times to help develop confidence, fluency and word recall. In Literacy this half term we will be focusing on instructional writing and writing our own help sheets on how to plant a seed.

Maths – In Maths this half term our focus is on place value to 100, money and time. The children will be ensuring they are confident reading and writing numbers to 100 in the place value topic. When we look at money we will be learning to recognise all of the different coins and adding coins together to make amounts. In Year 1 the children learn to tell the time to the hour and half past.

## **Topics**

## Week 1: It's Not Fair!

In this topic we will be looking at rules and democracy as well as having the right to share our own opinions alongside valuing the opinions of others. This week will also be the Phonics Screening check and all the children in Year 1 will complete the check at some point in the week.

# Week 2, 3 & 4: Ready, Steady, Grow!

In this topic we will be focusing on science and eco. We will be looking at healthy and unhealthy foods as well as looking at where food comes from. During the 2 science weeks we will be naming a range of different flowers and plants as well as planting our own to watch for changes.

#### Week 5 & 6: Creation

During our Creation topic we will be looking at how the world was created and producing our own artwork to reflect our visions of the Creation Story. The children will be looking at what happened on each day of the Creation Story.

## **Religious Education**

Our Christian Value this half term is Trust. This will be covered during Collective Worship and in our weekly RE lessons.

# **Physical Education**

PE is on a Friday and this half term we will be focusing on athletics and gymnastics. Please make sure that your child has the correct PE kit on and has both joggers and shorts for indoor/outdoor PE.

## Computing

In computing this half term we will be continuing to work on coding on Purple Mash. We will also be using the BeeBots to help with our coding and programming skills.

## Home Learning and Other Relevant Information

- Encourage your child to complete and return any homework on time, including our 9 Grid weekly homework.
- Discuss your child's learning and topic work and what story books we have been reading.
- Your child will need his / her planner everyday so that we are able to keep in contact and it will be signed every Friday.
- Use our website—www.leesfield.oldham.sch.uk to find other links which can support your child's learning.
- Please ensure your child has a suitable waterproof coat with them every day as the children do play and learn outside in all weathers.
- Please let a member of staff know in advance of any appointments so that they can be put in the register.