





# KS1 Spring 1 overview

<p style="text-align: center;"><b>In The Jungle</b></p> 	<p style="text-align: center;"><b>English Writing</b> This half term we will be learning about</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Writing a recount of our experience handling different reptiles and lizards</li> <li>• Writing about different animals' appearances, habitats and diet</li> <li>• Writing fact files about different animals</li> </ul> 	<p style="text-align: center;"><b>English Grammar</b> This half term includes...</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Using capital letters and full stops for sentences</li> <li>• Using finger spaces between words</li> <li>• Continuing to use the conjunctions 'and' and 'because' in Year 1</li> <li>• Using a range of conjunctions to link sentences in Year 2 – and, because, so, that, but, if</li> <li>• Using time conjunctions to order our writing – first, next, then, finally</li> <li>• Using expanded noun phrases to describe</li> </ul>
<p style="text-align: center;"><b>Maths</b> This term our core learning focuses on...</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• We will continue working on our place value knowledge of numbers to 20 in Year 1 and numbers to 100 in Year 2</li> <li>• We will learn different methods and strategies to support adding and subtracting</li> <li>• Year 2 will learn to solve addition and subtraction by crossing 10</li> <li>• Year 1 will begin to learn how to multiply and divide through grouping and sharing</li> <li>• Year 2 will work on the 2-, 5- and 10-times tables and solve multiplication and division calculations</li> </ul>	<p style="text-align: center;"><b>RE</b> This half term we will be learning about</p> <p><b>Christmas</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• We will recap the story from the viewpoint of the three wise men</li> <li>• Discussing how Jesus' birth changed people's lives</li> </ul> <p><b>Revelation</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Understanding how God reveals himself through Bible stories</li> <li>• Learn and retell the miracle stories.</li> </ul>	<p style="text-align: center;"><b>Books we will read in addition to our RWI book bag books</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• A range of non-fiction books about animals</li> <li>• Choosing from a range of picture and chapter books in our school library</li> </ul>
<p style="text-align: center;"><b>Science</b> This half term we will ...</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Identify and name a variety of common animals including fish, amphibians, reptiles, birds and mammals.</li> <li>• Learn about carnivores, herbivores and omnivores.</li> <li>• Compare a variety of common animals (fish, amphibians, reptiles, birds and mammals). Identify, name and label the basic parts of the human body and say which part of the body is associated with each sense.</li> </ul>	<p style="text-align: center;"><b>Art</b> This half term we will be learning to</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Name the primary colours</li> <li>• Explore colours to mix secondary colours</li> <li>• Mix primary colours to make secondary colours</li> <li>• Apply paint consistently to their printing materials to achieve a print</li> <li>• Use a range of colours when printing</li> <li>• Decorate hands using a variety of patterns</li> <li>• Describe our finished piece</li> </ul>	<p style="text-align: center;"><b>Geography</b> This half term we will be learning about</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• The jungle</li> <li>• The seven continents and five oceans of the world</li> <li>• The weather near the equator</li> <li>• Identifying and describing different human and physical features in the jungle</li> <li>• Studying ariel photos and maps</li> </ul>
<p style="text-align: center;"><b>PSHE</b> This half term we will be learning about</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Our sense of community, respect, self-belief and responsibility for ourselves and others</li> <li>• Children's mental health week</li> <li>• The importance of sleep</li> </ul>	<p style="text-align: center;"><b>Computing and E-Safety</b> This half term we will be learning about</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Using robots for creating sequences</li> <li>• Describing sequences to our friends</li> <li>• Breaking down problems into smaller steps</li> <li>• Test and debug programs to make sure they work.</li> </ul> <p><b>E-Safety</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Recognise that anything I post online can stay there and could be copied and shared</li> <li>• To understand that I should not put information online without asking a trusted adult</li> </ul>	<p style="text-align: center;"><b>PE</b> This half term we will be learning</p> <p><b>In indoor PE</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• To spin, rock, turn and roll, on parts of the body</li> <li>• To plan and link a series of movements together</li> <li>• To work safely with an awareness of others</li> <li>• To adapt work from the floor onto apparatus</li> </ul> <p><b>In outdoor PE</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• To use a bat to steer and send a ball safely</li> <li>• To skip with a rope</li> <li>• To change the rules of a game to make it better or more challenging</li> <li>• To understand the importance of 'rules'</li> </ul>
<p style="text-align: center;"><b>Music</b> This half term we will be learning about</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Rhythm and ostinato through percussion</li> <li>• Lessons will be based around the Jungle Book</li> </ul>	<p style="text-align: center;"><b>French</b> This half term we will be learning about</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• revising fruits, days of the week and colours</li> <li>• learning the story of 'The Very Hungry Caterpillar' in French.</li> <li>• making our own books to bring home.</li> <li>• Numbers to 20</li> </ul>	