

As mathematicians, we will measure capacity using non-standard and standard units. We will learn about millilitres and litres. We will begin to do multiplication and division by counting in 2s, 5s and 10s; add equal groups; use arrays and link these to multiplication; double and halve numbers. We will share objects and link to division; we will solve sharing problems.

As writers, we will use high quality texts to help us write instructions, poetry, diary entries and information writing. We will remember to use capital letters and full stops; join ideas using and; and develop our use of using conjunctions or, but ,so and because. As readers, we will be making simple inferences, learning new vocabulary, making predictions and answering retrieval questions. Phonics will be taught daily. We will use joined handwriting.

Homework: We encourage reading at home, (five times per week.) Please help your child to learn their spellings.

Year 1

Summer Term 1

Wonderful World



As scientists, we will grow sunflowers. We will recognise a variety of garden and wild flowers. We will know the difference between deciduous and evergreen trees. We will learn about the structure of a plant and tree. We will begin to understand what plants need to live and grow.

As musicians, our new topic is: Your imagination which includes: games, singing, playing, improvisation and composition.

In wellbeing we will be exploring: What does being 'healthy' mean? What can I do to keep myself healthy? How can I manage my feelings?

In RE we will learn about the church in Christianity.

As geographers, we will learn the countries and capitals of the UK and the continents of the world.

As computer scientists, we will learn to be coders. We will consolidate our understanding of algorithms by programming 'Beard Man' in Busy Things.

As artists, we will use Georgia O'Keefe flower paintings to explore use of colour for effect and create a painting in the same style.

As designers, we will plan and make a mini-greenhouse for our sunflower plant.

In PE we will do games and focus on travelling and sending in addition to running the Keston Km three times a week.