

# Shelten Intert Scheel

Year 1 Newsletter- Summer 1 2022

## Our topic this term is Plants and Animals



#### Science

We will learn about what plants need, name some common plants and have our own sunflower growing competition.

#### Geography

We will learn about the 4 countries of the United Kingdom, the capital cities, seas and landmarks.

#### <u>D&T</u>

We will learn about puppets. We will design and make our own animal hand puppet.

#### <u>Music</u>

Class 5 will be singing with Mrs Pearson from Derbyshire Music Hub. All year 1 children will be learning songs for the Summer service and our class assemblies!

#### RE

We will learn about sacred places and some religious stories from the Jewish and Christian faiths.

#### Computing

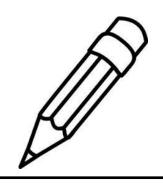
We will learn about how to use a keyboard, as well as learning how to open, edit and save our work.

#### <u>PE</u>

In PE class 3 will be focusing on gymnastics skills. Class 4 and 5 will be doing games.

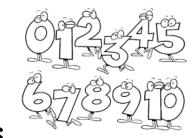
#### **PSHE**

We will be learning all about sun safety and caring for living things.



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#### English in year 1

#### We will be learning to:

- Write sentences with capital letter, full stops and joining words (like "and")
- Phonics through daily Little Wandle phonic lessons
- Read with Little Wandle reading practice sessions
- Learning about suffixes and prefixes
- Writing fact files and stories about plants and animals

### You can help your child by

- Talking with them about what they have been learning at school.
- Reading and sharing stories.
- Naming different common plants and trees.
- Talk about seasonal changes from summer to spring.
- Count in 2s, 5s, and 10s. Can you do this backwards?
- Count forwards and backwards to 100.
- · Recognise odd and even numbers.

#### Maths in year 1

#### We will be learning:

- Early multiplication grouping, arrays.
- Early division sharing
- Fractions
- Position and direction

We will also look at odd and even numbers and recap skip counting in 2s, 5s and 10s.

### <u>Useful links</u>

<u>Useful</u> <u>dates</u> Dog puppet video Ivy's Plant shop (BBC)

Sunsafe Superstar story







