

# Shelten Intent Scheel

### Year 1 Newsletter- Autumn 2 2022

Music We will be learning to move in time to a steady beat and clap simple long and short rhythms. We will learn about pulse, rhythm and pitch, and how to sing simple high and low patterns. We will also be learning lots of fun Christmas songs to sing in our Christmas Concert.

<u>Geography</u> We will be learning to use maps to explore our school grounds, Shelton Lock and Derby. We will be learning what human and physical features are and identify examples of these in our local area.

<u>Computing</u> We will learn about presenting data in the form of pictograms and about uses for technology outside school.

### Design and Technology

We will learn how to make a Christmas decoration with moving parts. We will design our decoration, make the parts and evaluate our design. <u>RE</u> This term we will learn the Christian Christmas story and how Christians celebrate Christmas.

Science - Animals We will be learning about that different types of animals in the world. We will learn how to group animals according to what they eat—Herbivore, Carnivore, Omnivore. We will also be learning the classifications of animals—Reptiles, Fish, Amphibians, Mammals and Birds.

<u>PE</u> We will be developing our running skills this half term, working on the correct technique for running as well as using running in games. We will also develop our gymnastic skills, using wide, narrow and curled shapes.

<u>PSHE</u> We will be learning about different feelings and how to recognise them. We will also be learning that our emotions can affect the way we feel, think and behave, and strategies we can use to manage these feelings.



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## Our topic this term is!

### English in year 1

#### We will:

- read three times a week at school.
- include adjectives in our sentences.
- continue to develop our use of punctuation (capital letters, finger spaces and full stops).
- learn how to write descriptions and instructions.
- practise our Shelton Script handwriting.

### <u>Maths in year 1</u>

We will be learning to:

- recognise some number bonds to 10.
- add two amounts to find the total.
- count forwards and backwards to 50.
- how to subtract.
- recognise and name 2D and 3D shapes.

### You can help your child by

- Talking about what they have been learning at school.
- Reading their school book and sharing other stories.
- Finding 2D and 3D shapes at home.
- Practising their spellings.
- Exploring your local area.
- Talking about different feelings and how you can help each other to manage these feelings.

Useful dates

