



# ST ANDREW'S C of E PRIMARY SCHOOL



## YEAR 1



### MATHS



The children will be counting in 2s, 5s and 10s, making doubles and learning how to group and share objects.

We will learn how to find half or quarter of a shape or quantity.

Later in the term we will look at place value to 100, recognise coins and begin to tell the time.

Our theme this term is:

### On the Farm.

*Our Big Question is: Where does our food come from and how can we make sure there is enough for everyone?*

*We will explore:*

*The journey of food from farm to fork. Compare farming in the UK and St Lucia.*

*Healthy eating and food waste.*

*Seasonal change and science investigations based on plants and conditions for growth.*

*Observational drawing of plants & a study of Van Gogh.*

*Design and make a healthy sandwich using our own produce.*

### ENGLISH

All English work this term will link to 'On the Farm'

A unit of work based on The Enormous Turnip

A unit based on information texts about animals

**Grammar Focus:** Using question marks and exclamation marks, suffixes and prefixes.

### HOW CAN YOU HELP YOUR CHILD?

There are lots of fun things to do at home, for example; plant some seeds and watch how they grow and change; look at food labels and find out where your food comes from - find these places on a world map; talk about healthy eating and cook simple meals together.

**SPELLINGS** SET ON  
**FRIDAY** AND TESTED  
ON **WEDNESDAY**.

CHILDREN SHOULD  
READ AT HOME EVERY  
NIGHT

### COMPUTING

We will continue to learn about:



E Safety

Using the keyboard

Animation

### RE



We will consider the key questions:  
Who made the world?  
How should we care for the world and others?

### MUSIC

We will be exploring:



Rhythm and tempo- creating a pattern using two pitches.

**Phonics** is taught daily for at least 20 minutes.

The week's spellings will be linked to the phonics your child has been taught that week. Please make sure that your child practises each spelling and understands the meaning.

### HOMEWORK:

SET ON FRIDAYS  
IN ON WEDNESDAYS  
Children will also bring home a library book to enjoy.

### P.E DAYS ARE TUESDAY & WEDNESDAY

PE KIT: NAVY BLUE SHORTS, WHITE T-SHIRT & TRAINERS.

Tracksuits and jumpers may also be worn.  
Please leave PE kit in school.



