# Parents Curriculum Overview
# Key Stage 1 Autumn 2 2025

## Science

Our focus this half term is **Materials.** The children will be learning about where materials come from and how they are used. They will be sorting materials based on their different properties.
They will also be investigating different materials that are suitable for a house roof.

## Geography

In our Geography lessons, we will be learning about **Where we live**. We will be using maps, globes and Google Earth to locate Clipstone. The children will then be going into the local area to complete some **Fieldwork** about the traffic.

## Design Technology

The children will be **designing** and **making** cars using different materials. The children will learn the skills around wheels and axles. Then we will be teaching the children how to **evaluate** the cars they have made against their original design.

## P.E.

We will be teaching **Indoor Dodgeball** and **Games** this half term.

In Indoor Dodgeball lessons, the children will be learning the skills needed to play a game and in Games we will be using the parachute to teach them skills about working in a team.

## English

We shall be using the texts: -**The True story of The Three Little Pigs** and **There is no Dragon in this story.**

Our shared reading texts will be linked to Fairy Tales.

All children will have Handwriting, Grammar and Spelling lessons throughout the week.

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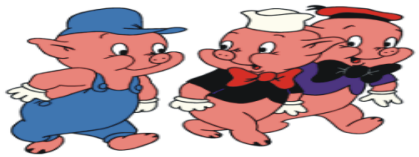

## Maths

The children will be having Maths lessons every day focused on: -
**Yr1**-Place value to 20, Number facts to 20, Counting in 2s,5s and 10s and using money.
**Yr2**-Place value to 100, Number facts to 100, Quick number facts related to 2,5 and 10.
There will also be some reasoning and problem-solving lessons during the week

## Computing

In computing this half term, the children will be learning about Algorithms.
They will be learning why Algorithms are important and how to create and follow them.
We will also be discussing the SMART RULES and how to keep safe online.

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We will be following the topic **"Celebrating Difference".** The children will be exploring the idea that everyone is different and that this is good.
We shall also be discussing what is different between "Bullying" and "Falling out".

## Music

We will be following the topics "**Rhythm in the way we walk/The Banana Rap**" and "**Ho,Ho,Ho".**
This will focus on pulse, rhythm and pitch. The children will learn to sing different styles of music and discuss how it makes them feel.

## RE

In our RE lessons, the Year 1 children will be learning about the **Christmas story.**

The Year 2 children will be learning about the different symbols used at Christmas including the **Advent Wreath.**