

English:

Toys in Space by Mini Grey is a very silly (not-too-scary) story about losing a beloved toy. In this fantasy-adventure story The toys travel through space where they meet a lonely alien. The children will be using this book as a stimulus to write their own a fantasy story about some toys who are taken onto a spaceship. They will be changing the characters in the story and adding descriptive detail.



Geography:

This half term, Year 1 Children will be answering the question, What is it like to live in Shanghai? They will be going on a local walk to look at the features of the environment, mapping their local environment and comparing it to the features of the city of Shanghai in China.



Maths:

This term in Maths, Year 1 will explore mass and capacity. Children will compare the mass and capacity of different objects around the school. Children will also explore multiplication and division, using these skills to explore sharing and fractions.

Music: Charanga Music

What Songs Can We Sing to Help Us Through the Day?

Having Fun with Improvisation, sing, listen and appraise, compose and perform.



RE: Our World

Children will be asking the question, how did our world begin and how can we look after it? They will explore the creation stories of different religions including Christianity and Islam.

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PSHE: Relationships

Relationships with friends and family. We will be looking at how we can be a good friend and celebrating special relationships.

PE:

Sports Day

PE will take place on Wednesdays



Art: Painting – Colour Splash

Children put their understanding of colour mixing into practice to recreate their own versions of the artwork '0-9' by artists Jasper Johns. Children will also look at the ceramic artist Clarice Cliff and imitate her painting style.

Computing: My Online Life

Children will learn how to open and use apps and learn all about online safety.

Science:

In "Identifying Plants and Their Parts," Year 1 will be planting a variety of seeds and carefully observing their growth. Children will look at trees and plants around our school and compare their similarities and differences. Year 1 will also continue to explore and observe seasonal change.



Phonics:

Children will continue to support their reading and writing by learning decoding and blending in Read, Write, Inc Phonics. Children will spell, practice their handwriting and read books matched to their phonetic ability.

Guided Reading:

Year 1 will be reading **Meet the Planets by Caryl Hart**. They will be looking at inference and prediction, retrieval and vocabulary in the book.

