

How to help at home

- Read with your child daily
- Encourage children to use their phonics to sound out unfamiliar words
- Ask questions about what they have read to check their understanding
- Support your child with learning their weekly spellings
- Set aside time to complete weekly homework together
- Practice number bonds to 10 and 20
- Practice counting in 2s, 10s and 5s
- Encourage activities that involve measures (cooking, water play etc.)

Teacher: Mrs Wainwright

Useful Websites

- www.phonicsplay.co.uk
- www.ictgames.com/resources.html
- www.iboard.co.uk/activities
- www.twinkl.co.uk
- www.espresso.co.uk/online
- www.matific.com
- www.oxfordowl.co.uk/for-home

Hughenden Primary School



*'Working Together, Nurturing Minds,
Empowering Lives'*

Curriculum Information – Summer 2021

Year 1

Dear Parents & Children,

At Hughenden Primary School we follow the National Curriculum 2014. This leaflet gives a brief outline of the knowledge and skills being learned in the curriculum in your class this term.

English

The children will be using two texts this term:

- **Pattan's Pumpkin by Chitra Soundar**
- **The Secret Sky Garden by Sarah & Lumbers**

Through the books the children will:

- Explore information texts & non-fiction writing
- To write in role from more than one perspective
- To produce character descriptions
- Produce persuasive writing about real life issues
- To write recounts from personal & fictional experience
- To explore folk tales, myths and stories about physical events

Maths

The children will be focusing on the following topics:

- Data Handling
- Fractions
- Addition and subtraction
- 3D shape
- Time
- Multiplication and division
- Money
- Position and direction

Science

The children will be focusing on the following topics:

- How plants grow
- Growing runner beans
- Deciduous and evergreen trees
- Different parts of plants and trees
- Seasonal change - Summer

In the rest of the curriculum we will be focussing on the following key skills:

Computing	Word Processing Skills; Copy, Cut & paste images for digital art collage
Art & Design	Buildings, Gardens & Landscape drawing – perspective & size
PE	Athletics (competitive races, relay, throwing and jumping); Perform dances using simple movements.
Music	Feel the Pulse – Exploring pulse and rhythm
History	Develop an awareness of the past; Begin to understand chronology; Similarities and differences between ways of life in different era; Events beyond Living memory; Explorers: Christopher Columbus
Geography	Use basic geographical vocabulary to describe physical and human features of the UK & India
RE	Important People; Special things
Design & Technology	Prepare dishes using principles of a healthy diet and seasonal produce – Indian influence
PSHE	Healthier & Safer Lifestyles