

## **Class 1 Curriculum Overview**

### **Autumn Term 2016**

This half term our topic is 'Families.' Our continuous provision will be topic based and linked to our interests. We will begin by getting to know each other, learn about the areas in the classroom and how to use them appropriately. In English we will be reading familiar stories such as 'Mog the Forgetful Cat.' We will be also be doing some of our own mark-making and writing based around these stories. We will be listening to and reading lots of stories linked to rhyme and alliteration, as well as beginning to learn our Phase 2 and Phase 5 sounds in Phonics.

In Maths we will be using numbers and place value in practical contexts as well as learning about shape, space and measures, which will be linked to our topic. We will be creating our own self-portraits in Art, as well as exploring printing. In Science we will be learning about the human body and the senses and thinking of our own question linked with these areas that we can investigate! In History we will be learning about our family tree (if you have any photos or other information that you would like to send in for us to talk about then this would be appreciated). In PE we will be doing gymnastics in the hall and using the laptops and I-Pads in Computing.

#### Autumn Term 2

During Term 2, our topic will be 'Stories and Celebrations.' In Maths we will be using numbers, shape and time linked with our topic. In English we will be looking at our favourite stories and talking about why it is our favourite story. In Science and Geography we will be looking at the seasonal weather changes. Our RE learning will lead us into Christmas. We will be using our topic to support our play based learning in Reception. We will be using opportunities to develop our reading and writing skills in Adult-Led and Child-Initiated Learning and be exploring seasonal changes over time in our Investigation Area.