



**SWINEMOOR
PRIMARY SCHOOL**

SUMMER TERM CYCLE 1 CURRICULUM STATEMENT

YEAR FOUNDATION

SUBJECT / TOPIC	CONTENT
ENGLISH	<p>We shall be studying the Early Years Curriculum in speaking and listening, reading and writing. The children will continue to work on the development of a fluent, cursive style of writing.</p> <p>We will be looking at a range of non-fiction texts to explore the topics of space and life under the sea. Children will have opportunities to learn exciting facts and will use these to create their very own information book about their topic. Children will access a wide range of writing opportunities such as describing their very own Planet, as well as creating their own alien descriptions. In phonics, we will be covering the sounds from phase 4 (letters and sounds) and using these to read more complex words and sentences.</p> <p>Click here for a link to a website that has some super space themed ideas for you to use at home!</p> <p>Here is a link to another useful website with some exciting under the sea themed learning you can do at home!</p>
MATHS	<p>We shall be studying the Early Years Curriculum in Maths, using Numberblocks resources to support our learning.</p> <p>We will be focussing on ordering numbers to 20, forwards and backwards and using these to complete missing number sequences. We will also be learning to use numbers to 20 to solve problems involving addition, subtraction, doubling and halving. We will also be exploring and describing a range of 2D and 3D shapes using mathematical vocabulary, as well as exploring time, money, measures, positional and movement through our ongoing provision areas.</p>





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<p>UNDERSTANDING OF THE WORLD</p>	<p>Through the topic of Space we will be exploring the Sun, Moon, Stars and Planets and children will have opportunities to ask and answer their own questions. We will have opportunities to carry out scientific investigations including the effects of gravity!</p> <p>In Computing this term we will be learning to understand that an algorithm is an instruction and beginning to develop our instruction giving language in preparation for coding.</p> <p>Here are some useful links to websites linking to both our topics this term.</p> <p>Space</p> <p>Under the Sea</p>
<p>THE ARTS</p>	<p>In art, we will be developing our understanding of portraits by studying and comparing some famous examples. We will then work together to produce portraits of the monarchy, which will join the previous year's portraits of Queen Elizabeth II and Prince Charles.</p> <p>Click here to watch a Swinemoor News episode which features the creation of our Prince Charles portraits.</p>
<p>PHYSICAL DEVELOPMENT</p>	<p>We will be covering a range of techniques in athletics including; sprinting, long distance running, jumping and throwing. Children will also be learning some team games involving simple rules during their outdoor PE lessons.</p>
<p>RE /PSED</p>	<p>We will be thinking about relationships this term. Children will be talking about the different kinds of relationships we have and what makes a good or bad relationship.</p>
<p>TERMLY COMPETITIONS</p>	<p>This half term we will be taking part in an Athletics competition.</p> <p>In the second half of this term we will also be competing at Sport's Day, where children will have the opportunities to take part in a variety of exciting races.</p>

