



In Geography this half term, we will be locating hot and cold areas of the world in relation to the Equator and the North and South Poles.

We will look at different climate zones - cold polar, warm, tropical and temperate - and roughly where these are and the weather in each.

In English we are focussing our learning around the book *The Big Book of Blue* by Yuval Zommer. We will use this as inspiration to write an explanation text about creatures that live in the sea.

Welcome to Year 1  
Children need to bring their book bag and reading book to school every day. Please ensure you read regularly with your child. Spellings are sent home every Friday, and tested the following Friday. Your help is appreciated with this.

PE days  
ILK - Thursday & Friday IHB - Monday & Friday  
Please check Marvellous Me for regular communication and important messages.

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In Science we will be looking at materials. We will look at a range of objects and the materials they are made from. We will describe the properties of everyday materials such as wood, plastic, glass, metal, water, and rock and compare and group them on the basis of their physical processes.

In Art, we will develop our drawing, painting and printing skills to create a window scene inspired by the work of William Morris and Orla Kiely.

Our PSHE focus this half term is all about Healthy Lifestyles and Healthy Minds. We will learn what we can do to keep healthy and that the healthier we are, the less likely we are to be poorly.

In Maths, we will learn about multiplication and division. We will count in 2s, 5s and 10s and recognise equal groups. We will also learn about fractions and find halves and quarters of objects, shapes or quantities.