Year 1 - Autumn 1 Learning Overview

Little London Academy

Maths	Reading	Writing	Science	PSHE
Children will be learning about the place of value of numbers. They will understand the place value of numbers initially up to ten. We will be counting within ten and practising the skill of subitising (recognising an amount by sight rather than counting). They will be learning to sequence numbers, partition numbers in different ways and add and subtract with numbers to 10. We will also learn to recognise numbers as words and count on from any number. The children will increase their maths vocabulary using terms such as '1 more', '1 less', using the words 'more', 'fewer', 'same', 'more than', 'less than' and 'equal'.	In Phonics, children will develop confidence in recognising Set 1 and Set 2 sounds, applying this knowledge to reading words using 'special friends' and 'Fred talk'. Children will be developing their ability to read words containing 4 and 5-sounds including *'splash', 'spend'* and *'blow'*. In addition, children will start to develop their reading fluency by reading story books and answering simple questions about what they have read.	In Traditional Tales, the children will focus on the key text, *The Three Billy Goats Gruff*. We will also read a wide variety of traditional tales including The Three Little Pigs, Little Red Riding Hood and Goldilocks and the Three Bears. As always, we heavily promote reading in school and Year 1 is a crucial time in getting children reading by age 6. We will be practicing forming all of our letters correctly and on the line. We will be learning how to spell more red words such as: • I • You • My • Said • The • Your • Are • Be • Of • No	In Science we will be exploring the season of Autumn. We will go on a scavenger hunt around school to look for signs that it is Autumn. We will be observing seasonal changes throughout the year and discussing the changes in the weather around us. We will also be exploring our 5 senses of sight, hearing, touch, taste and smell. We will explore this through many practical elements and recognise how our senses help us explore the world around us. We will also name the basic parts of the human body. 	In PSHE we will be learning all about making friends. Children will learn essential skills needed to work and play kindly with each other. We will look at how friendships are formed and ways to resolve friendship issues. Children will learn ways we can help ourselves or others if they are feeling lonely. We will also talk about bullying, looking at kind and unkind behaviour and discuss what we can do about this.

Computing	Art & Design	Geography	PE		Music
Children will learn how to stay safe on the internet. This includes being able to identify where to go for help if they have concerns about content found on the internet. The children will also be taught how to know who to trust and who are the trusted adults in their lives, both at home and at school.	In Art this half term, children will develop their painting skills, focussing on colour mixing. They will learn to keep colours bright and clean by understanding what primary colours are needed to mix secondary colours. Children will look at the work of Alma Thomas and learn to choose appropriate brushes for different tasks, make consistent, repeated marks and talk confidently about their choices.	In Geography, we will be exploring the question 'What is the weather like in the UK?' We will learn how to name and understand the four seasons, understand how the weather is different for each and in different places in the UK, and how the weather changes with each season. 	**Ellie Goldstein Class** **Ignite Immersive:** Drama, dance and singing. **Fitness:** They will learn how to use their bodies to move in different ways.	**Orion Jean Class** **Sending and receiving:** We will be practising skills of sending and receiving balls.	In Music this half term, our theme is *"Storytime"*. We will be exploring sound effects to enhance a story; performing songs and chants from a musical stories. They will identify contrasts of fast and slow and loud and quiet.