

# LEARNING JOURNEY FOR YEAR 1

SUMMER SECOND HALF TERM...

Year One's topic for this half term is...



## Castle adventure.



**Your child's learning will have a history focus so they will be learning...**

- Who lived in a castle?
- What was used for attack and defence?
- Castle life – what people ate, what people did for entertainment.
- Create 3D sculptures of castles (Design and Technology).
- Knights, their coats of armour/arms.

***A YEAR 1 TRIP TO COLCHESTER CASTLE ON FRIDAY 14 JULY!***

**In Literacy this half term, your child will be learning to...**

- Develop their handwriting skills further.
- Learn facts about castles, including famous ones, and use them in their writing.
- Use science and technology experiments in Big Write writing.
- Develop phonic skills (Read, Write Inc.)
- Develop vocabulary and comprehension skills when reading/ listening to stories.

**In Maths this half term, the majority of your child's class will be learning...**

- To start to describe the properties of 2D and 3D shapes and recognise them in different orientations.
- To introduce vocabulary and unit of measure: millilitres and litres.
- To problem solve with time, using minutes and hours.
- To add and subtract number bonds to 20 and find missing numbers in sentences to 20 and beyond.
- To begin to double and halve objects.
- To find one/ten more/less than a number.
- To solve a range of different number problems – including word problems.

**In PE this half term, your child will be learning...**

- Team games with a focus on cricket.
- Preparation for Sports Day (range of athletic skills).

**In other topic work this half term, your child will be learning about:**

- How to carry out a scientific experiment.
- How people have special ways of living (RE)
- How to make a positive contribution to class/school life (PSHE)
- Using ipads to take digital images and explore sound (ICT)