## **Year 1/2 Autumn 1 - 2023**

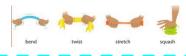
During this half term we will explore that an object can be made from different materials and also that one material can be used for a number of different objects.





We will develop our understanding of the simple physical properties of materials and consider in more detail how these properties make materials suitable for particular purposes.

The children will test a range of different materials and explore how materials can be changed e.g. bending, stretching, twisting and squishing.



Art - During this half term the children will use drawing to develop and share their ideas, experiences and imagination They will develop a wide range of art techniques in using pattern, texture, line and shape They will also know that drawing materials can be used to show light and dark.

**English** -During the term the children will write a narrative about losing something in the same style as *Augustus and His Smile* by Catherine Rayner.

The children will also be exploring poetry through the text 'A First Book of Poetry'.



First Poetry Book

**RE -** Who is a Muslim and how do they live?

The children will Identify some of the key Muslim beliefs and give examples of how stories about the Prophet show what Muslims believe about Muhammad.

They will also learn about how Muslims put their beliefs about prayer into action.



## History -

During this term, the children will learn all about Victorian England and the sorts of toys and entertainment available to them, comparing these toys to the ones the children have accessible to them today and identifying the changes in toys and how creative and engaging they have become for children of this generation.







**PSHE** - Learning that families are composed of different people who offer each other care and support. Learning how other people show their feelings and how to respond to them. Looking at conventions of manners and developing an understanding of self-respect.

Maths - We will be using the Power
Maths scheme of work, alongside White
Rose resources to teach the children
about number and place value. We will
be using a variety of practical resources
to help with our learning.







**Computing -** The children will be learning about IT around us and how it is a way of storing, using, and processing information.

**PE -** will be every Thursday and Friday. Please can you ensure your child wears a PE Kit to school on those days. This half term the children will be doing rugby and dance.

Music - In our weekly sessions the children will be learning about tempo, dynamics and timbre to create a

Western Africa 'call and response song' inspired by animals..



Read Write Inc- The children will continue to have daily RWi lessons in school. The children will take home an AR/colour banded book as well as RWi book bag book to support their reading from home.

Keep in touch through Seesaw. We would love to see some photos of your learning.