






Chandos Curriculum Overview

Year 1—Spring 1

Our learning this term	Our topic this term	How you can help your child
<p>English</p> <p>This half term our focus is writing fact files and recounts. The children will use non-fiction books to research and learn about different continents. Children will be learning to;</p> <p>Compose and write sentences independently.</p> <p>Punctuate sentences correctly, including capital letters for names and places.</p> <p>Use phonic knowledge to write unfamiliar words.</p> <p>Mathematics</p> <p>We will:</p> <p>Read, write, count and order numbers to 100.</p> <p>Count in multiples of 2, 5 and 10.</p> <p>Recall addition and subtraction facts for numbers up to 20.</p> <p>Compare and describe the weight and volume of familiar items.</p> <p>Understand and use terms and vocabulary associated with position, direction and movement.</p>	<p>Our Learning Challenge question is 'Where in the world are we?'</p> <p>To launch this topic will be visiting The Birmingham Sea Life Centre to explore and discover the range of climates and animals from around the world.</p>   <p>We will be using maps and globes to locate the arctic regions and the continents using geographical language. We will compare climates such as Antarctica and Africa.</p> <p>We will use a range of painting techniques to re-create the Northern Lights.</p>  <p>We will be creating a travel agents role play area.</p>	<p>-Encourage your child to read daily</p> <p>Books will be changed on Tuesdays.</p> <p>-Talk to your child about the book they are reading</p> <p>-Share books with your child; reading texts together.</p> <p>-Abacus work for Maths and reading.</p> <p>- Support their learning in topic by looking at books, maps and the internet about the North and South Pole, animals and their habitats.</p> <p>-PE will be on Mondays and Tuesdays. Please ensure that PE kits are in school on those days.</p> <p>Thank you.</p> <p>Mrs. Hall and Miss Smith.</p> 