



Kidbrooke Park Primary School

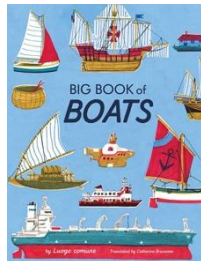
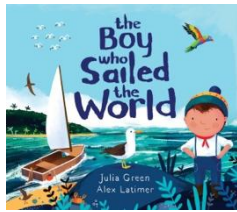
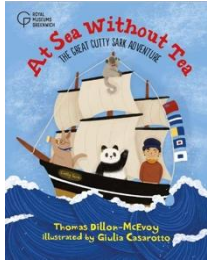
Year 1 Curriculum Overview

Autumn 1 Term

English

As part of our whole-school project on London Landmarks, we will be spending this half term learning about the Cutty Sark. We will be reading 'At Sea without Tea' which is a beautifully illustrated story about James Robson, the Cutty Sark's cook. One day, James finds out that they have run out of tea- a crucial element of the Captain's breakfast. However, there is none to be found in all of London. James embarks on a search which leads him on an adventure all over the world! Our focus for this half term will be on using adjectives for description and writing simple sentences.

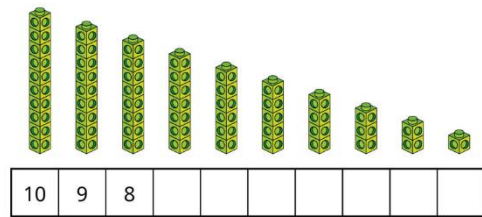
In addition, we will read a range of texts on boats and travel to immerse the children into the topic.



Maths

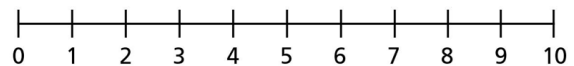
Our first Year 1 topic in Maths is place value: we will look at counting objects and categorising them based on similar features.

Then we will progress onto recognising numbers with words and count on from any number, forwards and backwards.



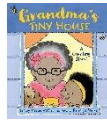
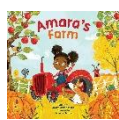
The children will be introduced to vocabulary such as fewer, more, the same, less than, greater than and equal to.

Finally, the children will be exposed to ordering objects and numbers and using number lines.



Reading

Our author focus is...
Janay Brown-Wood



In phonics, we will continue to follow our Little Wandle Letters and Sounds Scheme. Please visit the website to view helpful videos on how to support your child in reading.

<https://www.littlewandlelettersandsounds.org.uk/resources/for-parents/>

Or google 'Little Wandle for parents/carers'.

Science

Our focus is 'Everyday Materials'. We will be identifying, classifying and grouping various everyday materials based on their properties. Having listed the properties, we will then investigate their suitability for particular purposes.

Computing

In Computing, we will be learning how to stay safe online. We will learn what to do if we find inappropriate information whilst using technology.

History

In History, we will learn about 'Toys Through Time'. We will explore toys from different time periods. We will examine features of different toys and observe the evolution of toys through time by comparing the toys that we play with to the toys our families played with.

We will also be looking at how our toys have changed since we were babies and why this might be.

Key vocabulary: past, now, old, new, different, wood, metal, electricity batteries, materials.

Art/DI

In DT, we will look at how we can reuse single use plastic and investigate the properties.

Key vocabulary: upcycling, plastic, single-use, multi-use, recycle, reuse, waste, disposable, make, draw, cut,

RE

In RE, we will focus on belonging. We will look at various ways in which we can belong to groups within our community. We will then be introduced to different

PSHE

During this half term, we will be focusing on relationships. We will be exploring who is special to us and why.



shape, build,
tool, design,
finish, Join,
strengthen.

faith groups
to
understand
belonging
within
religion.

PE

In P.E this term, we will be covering 2 units:
Playground Games and
Gymnastics.

The children will learn to work collaboratively with each other, take turns and play fairly.

In gymnastics, we will explore and develop basic actions such as jumping, rolling, balancing and travelling. The children will be given the opportunity to build short sequences and develop their confidence to perform.

The children will need to bring their PE kit in a PE bag on these days.

Homework

Year 1 - Weekly Homework Expectations

- Little Wandle book taken home
- Reading for pleasure book taken home and comments recorded in reading record
- Spellings
- Number Bonds

Please bring homework books in on **Tuesdays.**

New homework will go home on **Thursdays.**

Any child who does not hand in their completed homework will be required to stay in during Wednesday lunchtime to finish their work. This will ensure they stay on track with their learning.

We appreciate your support.

Important Dates

PE:

1SP – Tuesdays and Wednesdays

1SC – Tuesdays and Wednesdays

Trip to the Cutty Sark –
Thursday 25th September

Parents' Evening – 5th and 6th
November