

Year 1
Curriculum Information
January/February 2018

- RE:** Focus on the Epiphany.
Learning about special people in their lives and that Jesus is a special person for parish family.
Candlemas: To know that Jesus was presented in the temple – Jesus is our light.
- English:** Reading fiction with familiar settings and non-fiction texts supporting topic work.
Phonics/Letters and Sounds: ee, ea, oa, igh, ie and y.
On-going work on high frequency and tricky words.
- As Readers we will be linking reading to own experiences.
As Communicators we will be suggesting words or phrases appropriate to the topic being discussed.
- Writing: exploring a character's thoughts and feelings.
We will use a text as the context for learning
- To present work neatly; spell correctly; punctuate accurately
 - We will use imaginative description
 - We will analyse writing (to identify key events)
- Maths:** Numbers to 20 – Estimating and Ordering,
1 More and 1 Less
Numbers to 20 – Doubling and Halving
Numbers to 20 – Odd and Even Numbers
Geometry – Names and Properties of 2-D and 3-D Shape
Measures – Comparing Length, Height, Mass and Speed.
- Science:** Materials: recognise and name and sort materials. Recognise that materials are chosen for different purposes. Begin to ask simple questions.
Humans and animals – classification of animals and humans.
Growing - to begin planting inside class using a mini greenhouse.
- Humanities:** History: To learn about Grace Darling and the RNLI, a significant figure from the past.
- Art/CDT:** Using 'The Wave' by Katsushika Hokusai as inspiration, create our own waves in pottery and paint.
Junk modelling to create telescopes and lighthouses.
- Computing:** Starting research skills on whales. E-safety.
- PE:** Focus on physical skills – a dynamic balance and a static balance using a small base.
To understand and follow simple rules. To name things we are good at e.g. running, catching, balancing etc. Gymnastics

