



Year 1/2 Term 1 Curriculum News

At C.P.S.S. we Read to Achieve! Remember to read every night.



ENGLISH

Poetry

Year 1 students will listen to and read a variety of poems and explore the language features of poems. They will learn how to comprehend and recite poems. Year 2 students will listen to and identify sound combinations (alliteration and rhyme) and word patterns in poetry. Students will then innovate a poem and present it to a group of peers.

At Home

Listen out for poetry in everyday life, including rhyme, alliteration, and rhythm. Practice reciting texts aloud using expression and eye contact.

MATHEMATICS

Place Value

Year 1 students will focus on identifying numbers up to 100 and explaining the value of each number. Year 2 students will focus on identifying and representing numbers up to 1000 in various ways, and explaining the value of each number.

Data

Year 1 students will collect data by asking questions, drawing and describing data displays. Year 2 students will collect simple data, record data in lists and tables, display data in a picture graph, describe outcomes of data investigations.

At Home

Count, count, count! Count up from a number, count back from a number. Sort objects into 1s, 10s, and 100s. Practice showing numbers in different ways. Collect data (information) in everyday life, like, *what is your favourite... how many... let's take a vote...*

SCIENCE

Earth and Space

Year 1 students will describe and consider changes in the sky and landscape, and the impact of these changes on themselves and other living things. Year 2 students will investigate Earth's resources— how they are used and the importance of conserving resources for the future of all living things.

At Home

Look around, discuss the natural world. Look at the sky and how it changed. Look for Water, Soil, and Coal. Discuss where we get these resources, how we use them, and what we can do to conserve them.

HUMANITIES & SOCIAL SCIENCES

Geography

Year 1 and 2 students will learn how the world is divided into geographic divisions and will investigate how people are connected to places.

At Home

Discuss all the places you visit, and why you visit them. Where are those places on the map?

THE ARTS - MUSIC

Year 1 students will explore rhymes and songs as stimulus for music making and responding. Year 2 students will explore a range of songs, rhymes and chants based on a theme of 'different places'. They will examine people and places far away, the weather, seasons and landscapes, and the built environment, as a stimulus for making music and responding to it.

HEALTH & P.E.

Year 1 students will develop and practise fundamental movement skills using hoops, balls and practice some basic gymnastic skills. They will perform various movement sequence. Year 2 students will refine their gymnastic skills and develop their static balance, locomotion skills, rotations, springs and landings. They will also perform a gymnastic skills sequences.

TECHNOLOGIES

Technologies will begin in Term 2.