

## Computing

*In Computing, as part of our Time Travellers topic, we'll be learning how to use the camera function on an iPad and then comparing this to using a digital camera.*

*We will take photos of one another and explore the different filters and colours that we can use to edit and change our photos.*

## Physical Education

*Our amazing Fit For Sport coaches, alongside the class teachers, will be teaching key movement skills so they can learn how to play new games.*

*Now that children are in Year 1, our aim is to increase the awareness they have of the space around their bodies by playing games. We will also be practicing sending and receiving a variety of objects with our hands.*

## Woodberry Down Primary School



## Curriculum Information Autumn 1



## Religious Education

*This half term we will start our study of world religions by looking at Christianity.*

*We will be focussing particularly on harvest festival and how it gives Christians the opportunity to be thankful for the things they have. As part of our study we will invite children to share their own thoughts on what they are thankful for.*

## Please Remember

*Year 1 children should bring their P.E kit every week for their P.E lessons. 1W have P.E every Monday and Thursday, 1B every Monday and Wednesday and 1D every Tuesday and Wednesday.*

*Children are expected to change their reading books at least twice a week and they should bring their reading journals in every day. We will be handing out new reading journals next week.*

## Year 1

**Time Travellers  
Our Host country is:  
America!**

## IPC Topic

*In IPC we are looking at the topic 'Time Travellers.'*

*In History lessons we will start by looking at how to create timelines, starting with timelines of our lives. We will then look at significant events in the past, including The Great Fire of London and Neil Armstrong's landing on the moon. We will be using our class iPads, including creating green screens to pretend we are on the moon!*

*In International lessons we will be looking at how special events are celebrated in America, and we will design our own menus from what we learn!*

## Reading

*Just like in reception we use Read Write Inc. to teach our children how to read. These lessons will start again over the next few weeks and your children will be bringing home their Read Write Inc. books to share with you at home too.*

*Children are expected to regularly read at home and for this to be noted in their reading records. Children will have the opportunity to take books to enjoy at home so please encourage your child to sit with you to read a variety of stories.*

## Mathematics

*We will continue to use Maths Mastery as our programme of study for maths this year. This term we will be working with numbers up to 20. We will be counting, reading and writing these numbers. To ensure children have a deep understanding of numbers to 20 we will be solving number problems on a weekly basis.*

*To ensure we are covering a broad range of maths we also have 'maths meetings' where we practise songs about shape, days of the week, counting and different measures.*

## Writing

*During weeks 1-2 we will have 'writing weeks' where we teach our writing focused around a special story book. We will be reading the book 'Flashlight' by Lizi Boyd and then we will write our own stories in the style of the author.*

*After our writing weeks we will be using our IPC topic knowledge to help us write recounts about our personal experiences.*

## How can you help me at home?

**Help me practise my reading!** Ask questions about the book and description of the main characters. Talk to me about making predictions and get me to retell you my favourite parts of the story.

**Help me practise my counting.** Count objects and compare if there are more than less than or the same amount.

## REMEMBER OUR IPC

Adaptability

cooperation

RESILIENCE

enquiry

morality

communication

respect

thoughtfulness

