KS1
AUTUMN 1 CURRICULUM

**We are on a two year cycle. The board concepts taught will be the same in Year 1 and Year 2 however each subjects will have differentiated objectives for Year 1 and Year 2.*

English
As readers and writers we will learn to…
Read the story Dragon Post by Emma Yarlett. We will write letters, notes of advice, instructions, menus and journey maps.
We will read the story Me and You by Antony Brown which explores a twist in the tale. We will write posters, letters, retelling of the story and retelling the story from a different point of view.

Maths
As mathematicians we will learn to...
Place value within 20

Addition and subtraction within 20

Place value within 100

Geometry: shape

Science
As scientists we will learn
about the basic parts of the human body and explore their five senses using a wide range of activities. Children will also observe seasonal changes.

RE
As thinkers we will
Explore what it means to belong to a community. Children will explore what belonging means. Children will explore different religious symbols. Children will read the parable the lost sheep to understand what it means to be valuable. Children will explore what happens in a Christian baptism and wedding.

PE/ Games
As sports people we will learn to…
perform basic fundamental movement skills. We will learn to develop a range of basic skills, actions and ideas. We will begin to remember and repeat simple skills and actions with increasing control, showing agility, balance and coordination. We will apply these actions and skills in isolation and in a combination. We will observe, copy and describe what they have learnt, suggesting how we could improve.

Geography
In geography we will learn to…
Geography skills and fieldwork.
Children will identify simple features of the classroom using everyday language. Children will use simple directional language. Understand that maps represent real places. Draw a simple map of the classroom and use pictures to represent features. Map out a route to the Rocket Park.

Art & DT
As artists we will learn to…
Hold and move a paint brush. We will explore how different brush sizes create different marks. We will learn to develop control when painting. We will plan a painting and then create a painting in the style of Alma Thomas.

Music
As musicians we will learn …
Pulse rhythm and pitch!
Music has a pulse, a steady beat. Music is also made up of long and short and high and low sounds, called 'rhythm' and 'pitch'. These elements combine when we sing and play. As we listen to, sing, play and dance to the music we will explore these elements of music and how they work together.

PSHE
As citizens we will learn to…
Look after our emotions.
We will learn when and why people show different emotions. Learn what makes us feel calm and relaxed. We will learn what makes us feel annoyed or worried. We will learn what to do when are emotions get tricky.

Computing
As programmers we will learn to…
develop our understanding of technology and how it can help us in our everyday lives. We will start to become familiar with the different components of a computer by developing our keyboard and mouse skills. We will also consider how to use technology responsibly and who to ask for help if they see any content or comments online that make us feel uncomfortable.