

ST CHARLES CURRICULUM INFORMATION - YEAR 1 SUMMER 2 2017

Theme:- Robots. Within this theme we will cover the following areas.

Maths:

During maths lessons we will be consolidating what we have learnt in previous terms. We will re-cap time, multiplication and division, subtraction, measurement (including length and mass/weight), sorting and sequencing.

Literacy

In English lessons we will be reading texts about robots! Stories about robots, recounts linked to our DT and science work and poetry on the theme of robots. We have our phonics screening check the second week back and we will be focusing on sentences structure - ensuring we can write full sentences and re-read them to check for errors.

Science:

We will start our Science topic by finding out what we already know about humans. Throughout the topic we will compare our human body to that of a robot and answer the following questions:
What is our body made up of?
Are all humans the same?
Are humans animals?
Are we the same as other animals?
How does my body find out about its surroundings?
We will take part in a variety of activities and make a class book recording our findings.

Religious Education

Our RE theme is about Reconciliation – being able to say sorry for things we have done wrong and asking for forgiveness.

We will be learning about Jesus' example and about the importance of friendships and good relationships with each other.

The children will be relating this to the choices they make every day.

Diary Dates:

Thursday 8th June - Non-uniform day (for chocolate)
Saturday 10th June 5.45pm - Family Mass with Band
Wednesday 14th June - Family Lunch
Friday 16th June, 2.30pm - School Mass and Awards Assembly in Church
Friday 16th June, 6pm - 9pm - PTFA BBQ
Tuesday 20th June, 7-8pm - Summer Music Concert
Tuesday 27th June - Teddy Bears' Picnic
Saturday 1st July 10am - Rishton Festival, parade and stalls
Wednesday 5th July - Y1 school trip to Smithills farm
Wednesday 12th July - PTFA Event for Families
Saturday 15th July - 5.45pm Leavers' and Family Mass with Band
Wednesday 13th July Sports Day 9-10.30am Infants 10.30 - 12 noon Juniors
Friday 14th July morning - 2K Fun Run
Tuesday 18st July - 2pm & 6.30pm, Year 5 & 6 Production
Friday 21st July 1.30pm - Final assembly, 2pm optional early finish.
September 4th 8.55am School reopens

P.E.

PE lessons are indoor on a Tuesday and outdoor on a Friday. Please make sure your child has a PE kit in school on these days which is clearly labelled. Children should not wear earrings on these days. The focus this half term will be football and athletics

Homework

Children in Year 1 are asked to read their book at home every day if possible, and bring it in and change it once they have read it 3 times. Children will also be bringing spellings home each week linked to their work in phonics. These are to be practised throughout the week and the children will be tested on Fridays.

Homework will be sent home on a Friday to be finished and handed in by the following Wednesday.

Many thanks for your support.

Art and Design and Technology

We will be honing our observational skills by creating sketches of robots by artist such as Larry Wong and in DT we will use junk modelling to create our own robots. Any boxes or cardboard tubes would be greatly appreciated!

Music/Dance:

We will start our topic by learning a maypole dance which we will present to parents at the school barbeque. We will use our voices expressively by singing songs and speaking chants and rhymes. We will also listen to and discuss a variety of different types of music.