

# YEAR 1: Spring Term 2021

## - Supporting Your Child -



Hinckley Parks  
Primary School



Our topic will be 'Under the Sea' and 'New Life'

### LITERACY

One of our key text will be 'Tiddler' and 'Dora's chicks' Our learning will include:

- Fantasy worlds
- Non chronological reports
- Recounts

### TRIPS / EXPERIENCES

- Park visit
- Zoo visit

### VALUES-BASED EDUCATION

Our focus values this term will be:  
Integrity, courage, kindness, empathy

### MATHEMATICS

We will be spending longer on each area of Math's in order to gain depth of understanding. We are covering:

Addition and Subtraction

Place Value to 50

Length and Height

Weight and Volume

Please practise your times tables and mental maths skills. Use <http://trockstars.com> (times tables) skills.

[hit hebutton.co.uk](http://hithebutton.co.uk)

### COMPUTING

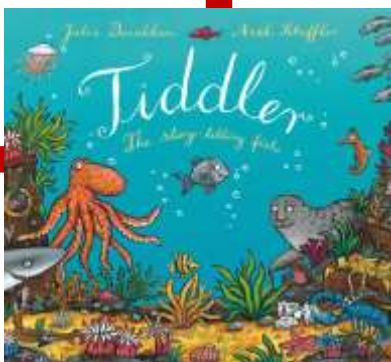
Will be beginning to look at programming and algorithms

### RE

We will be looking at 'Who is Christian and what do they believe'

### HISTORY

We will be looking at the Royal Family and Chinese New Year



### ART

The children will be making collages using different mediums.

Colour mixing and shading

### READING

Reading tasks will include:

- reading and discussing our class text;
- reading and answering questions based on a personal book chosen from the reading scheme;
- reading a variety of books at home (for 10 minutes 3 x per week)

Please encourage your child to read regularly, and keep a record in their reading diary, particularly if an adult has heard them read.

**REMEMBER:** please label all your child's belongings and ensure book bags are in school daily.

### P.E.

Days: **Monday, Wednesday & Fridays** - but please have PE kits in school every day.

### SCIENCE

We will be studying: Animals including humans and investigating everyday materials

### PSHE

We will be working on understanding our relationships, feelings and emotions. Please ask your child about this.

### HOMEWORK

It is set every Friday & due in by the following Friday.

- Spelling sheet (tested on Monday/Tuesday)
- Reading (as mentioned previously).

Please encourage your child to give 100% effort to homework.