

#### English

- Weekly Spellings •
- Read Write Inc (phonics)
- Handwriting .
- Reading comprehension •
- Predict and retell stories .
- Sequencing sentences to form • short narratives
- Link what they have read with • their own experiences.
- Labels, lists and captions •

# Hello and welcome back!

## We hope you all had a lovely Summer.

We have a great deal of exciting lessons and activities planned for this half term. We hope to ensure that the children settle back into the routine of school life quickly but this inevitably takes time after a long summer break. If you have any concerns or queries then please do not hesitate to come and talk to any of us.

### Maths

- Numbers to 20
- Estimate quantities
- Order numbers
- Pairs of numbers that make 5, 6 and 10.
- Double numbers
- One more/two more
- One less
- 2D shapes and lines of symmetry

### **Science**

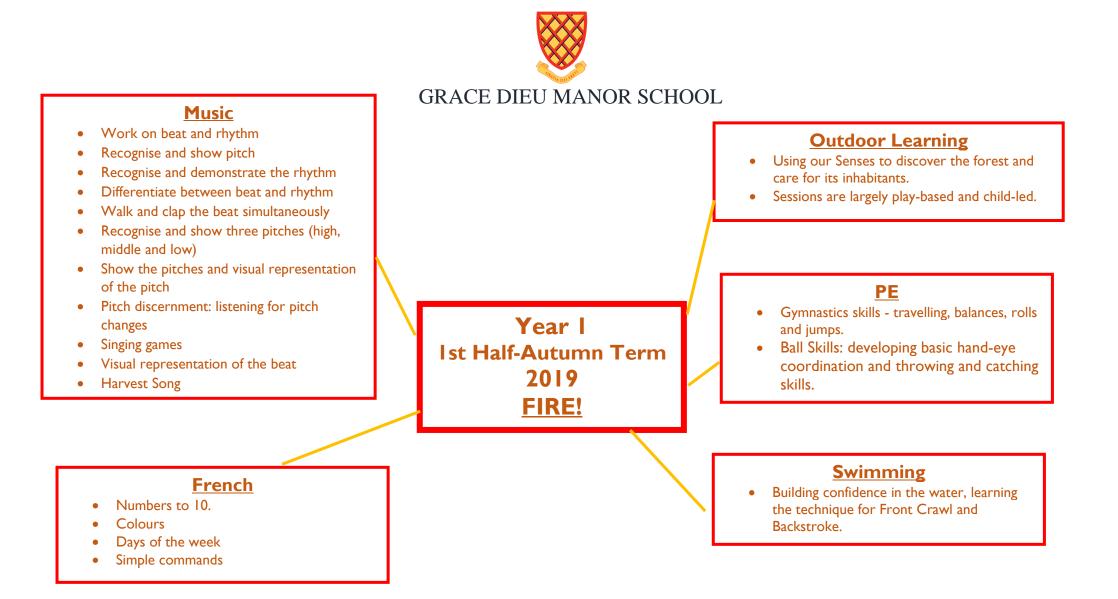
- Recognise everyday materials.
- Identify materials that objects are made from.
- Test and explore the properties of various materials.
- The suitability of materials for different ۲ objects.
- Compare and group materials. •
- Our body parts, senses and using our senses.
- Grouping and comparing different animals.
- Describing common animals and their body parts.
- Naming and sorting animals into herbivores, • carnivores and omnivores.



"Learning and growing in the light of the Gospel"

#### **Creative Curriculum**

- Finding out ways in which London has
- Describing the differences between how we live now is and how people lived in 1666.
- Explain how the Great Fire of London was started and spread.
- Finding out about how London was rebuilt after the Great Fire.
- Building houses.
- Painting fire pictures.
- Log on and save work independently on a
- Recognise icons and to use tools on Purple
- To sort and organise items on the computer.





# Visits and Important Dates

- Whole School Mass: Friday 6<sup>th</sup> September (9am)
- Grandparents Day: Wednesday II<sup>th</sup> September
- Harry Potter Sorting Assembly (Year 2 will be sorted in houses): Friday 20<sup>th</sup> September
- Class and individual photographs: Tuesday 26<sup>th</sup> September.
- European Day of Languages: Friday 27<sup>th</sup> September
- Trip to Thinktank: Tuesday 8<sup>th</sup> October
- Parents Evening: Wednesday 16<sup>th</sup> October (4-7)
- Harvest Mass: Friday 18th October (9am)

The children will need their swimming kit every

Tuesday.



The children will need their **PE kit every** <u>Thursday</u>. On PE Days children should come to school wearing their PE kit and school shoes with their trainers in a

bag.



The children will be having **Outdoor Learning** every **Wednesday** afternoon so please bring in or leave at school suitable clothing, waterproof jacket and trousers

and Wellington boots.





Our weekly spelling test will be on a Thursday morning.