



Godmanchester Bridge Academy



Year 1 Curriculum Focus - Spring

English:

In English this term the children have many writing opportunities, starting with *The Proudest Blue*. This is a story about the bond between two sisters, Faizah and Asiya, and the importance of being proud of who you are. We then move on to reading a non-fiction text all about if sharks disappeared. Later in the term, we write a story based on the fantastic *The Last Stop on Market Street* and we end the term with another non-fiction piece of writing based on the book *Bold Women in Black History*.

Maths:

In Maths we begin the term by learning addition and subtraction within 20. We use lots of practical materials to help us with our working out. We then move on to place value within 50. During this topic we practice counting forwards and backwards and counting in 2s, 5s and 10s. To end the term we focus on length and height, weight and volume. This is another fantastically practical area of maths, which we love in Year 1.

Science:

- Animals (including humans)

Foundation Subjects:

RE: Spring 1 - What is God's job? Spring 2 - Why should we care for the world?

PSHE: We learn about safety and citizenship.

Art and DT: we learn about the use of colour in art and make puppets in DT.

Computing: We begin to learn how to programme and code!

History: How have toys changed?

Geography: We learn about the UK.

PE: PE is taught by a specialist PE coach.