



Hampton College Primary Phase Topic Overview

Year 1 Topic: The Enchanted Woodland



Science

During this topic we will learn about plants and animals. We will investigate 'What is in a bud?' by dissecting them and predict what will happen to non-dissected buds on twigs kept in jars of water. We explore the difference between deciduous and evergreen trees. We will also sort animals according to their habitat.

English

We will continue to practise our phonics and blending skills.

During our daily ELLA time we will develop our handwriting, fine motor and listen to a variety of stories.

We will read lots of traditional tales, identify the beginning middle and end of a story and retell them in different ways.

Mathematics

We will continue to develop our addition and subtraction skills.

We will be practising recognising, naming and sorting common 2d and 3d shapes.

History and Geography

We will create our own mini woodlands using natural resources and use these to draw and label maps.

Physical Education

During our indoor PE lessons, we will be practising our skills to improve agility. Outdoors we will be taking part in orienteering.

Music

We will have music lessons taught by Mr Powell from the Secondary Phase.

Computing

We will learn to use technology safely by sending a class email to The Woodland Trust.

Art and Design

We will be working with natural materials to create art work and models inspired by Andy Goldsworthy.

Religious Education

This half term we will learn about Diwali. We will take part in traditional activities to celebrate Diwali, including making diva lamps and learning the story of Rama and Sita