

English: In English we will be reading a selection of books focussed around rabbits. During this unit we will continue working on sentence writing, retell stories, write poems, instructions and non-chronological reports and work on developing our vocabulary further.

Maths:

In Maths we will be looking at multiplication and division to begin the half term. We will then be looking at fraction and ending with position and direction.

Science:

In Science we will be learning about the five animal groups: mammals, fish, birds, reptiles and amphibians.

Geography: In geography we will be looking at the countries of the United Kingdom and some special landmarks within in them. We will then be helping Peter Rabbit to navigate his way around.

Key Information: PE lessons are every **Wednesday afternoon for the Year 1 children** and every **Thursday afternoon for the reception children** and full kits should be in school for these lessons. You can bring the children's PE kits at the start of a half term and leave them in school until the holidays. To see what we will be learning about in class this year and other information, please visit our school website <http://www.stannesroyton.oldham.sch.uk/> and navigate towards the Class tab. Newsletters are also archived here. There is also a calendar of events on the website. If you do not have internet access or cannot use this website for any reason, then please come and see me.

Topic:
Can I help Peter Rabbit navigate the United Kingdom?



Art & Design: In Art the children will be learning how to draw and then create their own bird sculptures using paper.

RE: Why is Baptism special? In this unit the children will learn about baptism and what it feels like to belong.

Homework: Homework will be set every **Friday** and must be returned the following **Wednesday**. This will be either a piece of Maths or English work as well as reading books which need to be returned to be changed. There will also be a reading record book that parents will need to sign. We encourage all parents to listen to their child read and to also read to their child as often as possible. The children will have their homework and reading book in their homework folders & online on **Fridays**.

PSHE: Who helps keep us safe? In this unit of work the children will learn about the people in their community and the roles they play in their lives.

Computing: In computing the children will be learning about how to navigate and use a spreadsheet.

Music: In this unit the children will continue to learn about pitch, tempo and rhythm and practise this through lots of well known nursery rhymes.

PE: This is a personal skills unit. The children will focus on developing their agility as well as their static and dynamic balancing skills.