

# Ellwood Community Primary School – Core Subject Overview

## Year 1 – Autumn Term 1

### English

#### Three Little Pigs

This term we will retell the story of the Three Little Pigs using actions. The children will create story maps, describe characters and write their own stories.



#### Grammar, Punctuation and Spelling

The children will focus on using capital letters at the start of sentences, using finger spaces between words and punctuate sentences using a full stop.

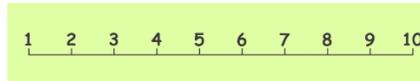
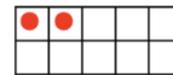
In Phonics we will revise Level 1+ to Level 3 sounds in the first few weeks and then move on to Level 4 sounds.

### Maths

#### Place Value Addition and Subtraction



We will be learning how to sort objects in different ways, counting and represent objects. We will read, write and spell numbers as words. The children will identify 1 more and 1 less using number lines. In our addition and subtraction unit we will learn how to write addition and subtraction number sentences. We will secure our knowledge of number bonds to 10.



### Science

#### Materials and Seasonal Change

In this unit, children will identify and name common types of materials including wood, metal, plastic, rubber, fur, wool, sponge, cotton wool, paper, card, brick, rock and some liquids.

We will label, collect and group together objects made from the same material. The children will state that different objects can be manufactured from the same materials. They will say why some materials are unsuitable for some objects.

Working scientifically, children will test the properties of different liquids. They will have investigated which materials are good to wrap and protect an egg being dropped from a height.

# Ellwood Community Primary School – Specific Subject Overview

## Chestnut Class – Autumn Term 1

### Design & Technology

In this unit Year 1 children will identify fruit and vegetables and where they grow. Year 2 children will learn what makes a balanced diet and will learn what are 'hidden sugars'.

Both year groups will design, make and evaluate a healthy fruit snack.



### Life Skills

OAKS challenge

This term we will take part in 5 Ways to Wellbeing – OAKS challenge (One Act of Kindness Shared).

During the term, the children will think carry out some acts of kindness.



### Computing

Year 1 children will learn what the internet is, how to use it safely and know what to do when someone says something unkind online. We will create our own 'Online Safety top tips poster' for keeping safe online.



Year 2 children will learn how information put online can last a long time and will find out who to talk to if something has been put online without consent or if it is incorrect.

### History

In History we are going to find out 'How transport has changed over time'. The children will find out about significant people and events from the past for example, Carl Benz, The Wright Brothers and George Stephenson.' The children will talk about how transport has changed over time and how people travelled in the past.



### RE

We will explore the questions 'Who is a Christian and what do they believe? And What do Christians believe God is like?'



### Music

Our unit this term is 'Fairy tales'. We will use our voices expressively to speak and chant well-known phrases from fairy tales. The children will also select suitable instrumental sounds to represent a character in a fairy tale.



### PE

In this unit children will explore the fundamental skills of balancing, running, changing direction, jumping, hopping and skipping. They will explore these skills in isolation as well as in combination. Children will be given opportunities to identify areas of strength and areas for improvement. Children will work collaboratively with others, taking turns and sharing ideas.

