

Leck St Peter's Church of England Primary School Curriculum Newsletter Summer 1

BELONGING, BELIEVING, SUCCEEDING TOGETHER

'I have come that you may have life, and have it to the full.' (John 10:10)

Welcome to EYFS & Key Stage One. There will be lots of great learning opportunities to enjoy this half term. We hope you find this newsletter informative. If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to speak to your child's class teachers.

This term in **History** we will explore the question:

Is the Wright Brothers contribution to flying the most important yet?



We will be learning about the Wright Brothers, Amelia Earhart and Amy Johnson and what impact their legacies have had on the world.

In **English** we will be exploring persuasive texts, resulting in us creating our own leaflet about visiting Leck, as well as stories from other cultures as part of Drawing Club.



Maths this half term will focus on:

EYFS: Numbers to 20, addition and subtraction plus shape.

Y1: Fractions, position and direction plus place value to 100.

Y2: Fractions and time.

In **Science**, we will be investigating Living Things and Their Habitats



We will work scientifically to investigate food chains.

In **Computing** we will be learning how to use and create pictograms

In PE, we will be focusing on:
EYFS: Fundamental Movement Skills in games.
Y1&2: Overarm throwing, bouncing and catching. We will also be developing our orienteering skills using our new orienteering course.

Our PE lessons will take place on:

Monday & Thursday

Please can hair be tied back and earrings removed.

In **Music** lessons, we will be exploring musical elements of pitch, rhythm, beat, pulse and improvisation.

In **DT**, we will be exploring mechanisms and how to make a wheeled vehicle.





Our SCARF PSHE theme this half term is all about "Keeping myself safe".

In **RE** this half term our units will be: **EYFS** "Special places" - "What makes a place special/holy?"

Y1&2 "Why is the church a special place for Christians?". The children will also have opportunities to develop their understanding of special places in world faiths by exploring the question: "Where do people of other faiths worship?"

Key dates this half term

28th April - trip to Rigmaden Estate 29th April - VE day activities with villagers from Cowan Bridge 21st May - Cluster Orienteering Day

How can I help at home?

EYFS: Keywords, phonics sheets & daily reading.

KS1: Reading daily, number facts flashcards - new ones to be issued for those ready for them. "Spelling frame" for spelling practice.

Summer 1 Homework Challenge

As we are learning about early flight, the challenge is to design and make a paper aeroplane. We will having a flying session on Tuesday 20th May.

Many thanks once again for all your continued support.

Mrs Mather and Mrs Browne