

READING:

Daily story time- range of books connected to the topic as well as those linked to children's interests. Individual books sent home. Children are invited to choose books from the Library selection. We encourage children to change them independently. Please enjoy sharing those at home.

WRITING:

Whole school project based on the book *The Tin Forest*. We have been using a new approach to Literacy teaching called Drawing Club. It's an approach that draws children into the joy of sharing book ideas and explore writing at their own individual level. Our children are very excited and engaged in this way of learning and we have seen great progress in their ability as well as confidence in writing. We also have weekly news writing opportunity which helps children with their writing stamina and reinforces writing foundations.

SPaG:

Independent sentence writing, including capital letters and full stops.
Focus on correct letter formation in handwriting sessions.
Daily phonics lessons.
Practising reading and writing of tricky words.



What Makes Buryan Brilliant?

GEOGRAPHY: *The world and my school- where is my school on my street; where is my town in the country; where is my country in the world?*

HISTORY:

We will be looking at local history and in particular how important tin mining was to this part of the world.

MATHEMATICS:

Reception:

Exploring numbers to 10- number recognition; subitising, number bonds; one more, one less.
Measuring- length, height, time, mass and capacity.

Year 1:

Place value within 20- Count within 20; one more, one less; using a numberline; comparing and ordering numbers
Addition and Subtraction within 20- counting on; using number bonds; doubles; counting back; finding the difference; solving number problems.
Place value to 50- count from 20 to 50; making groups of 10s; partitioning into 10s and ones; numberline to 50.
Measuring – length, height, mass and volume.

SCIENCE:

We will continue the topic of Seasonal Changes and then learn about plants.
What is a plant?
What are the parts of a plant called?
How do plants grow?
Do wild plants grow in our area?
How can we group plants?
Can we eat plants?
Are trees a type of plant?
What is a leaf?

Art/DT: *Use a range of materials to design and make. Drawing, painting, mixing colours.*

MUSIC: *Our topic in Music is "Rhythm in the way we walk" children will learn about rhythm and beat in music.*

RE: *Who do Christians say made the world?
The Easter story- Why does Easter matter to Christians?*

