**Childhood**

Dear Parents and Carers,

Our next topic in Year 1 is Childhood!   
In this history topic we will learn about what is meant by the *‘past’* and discover the differences between toys children played with in the past and the toys we play with today.

**Our aims in this topic is to**

* understand that chronology is the order in which things happen,
* the past refers to things that have already happened and the present is what is happening now,
* toys in the past are slightly different to toys in the present. Toys in the past were usually made from wood whereas toys today are made from plastic, metal and often technology,
* Some toys from the past are still around today but they have been modified.

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| **Main focus for the topic** | **Geography** |
| Literacy | Get Writing and Mary Anning writing. |
| Science | Animals including humans – animal groups. |
| Maths | Place value to 50, measuring length, height, and weight. |
| Art | Fossil prints. |
| PSHE | Dreams and goals. |
| RE | Churches and Easter. |

**Spellings for Spring 2.**

We will continue our spellings We will then move to Set 1 – Spring 1 the following week.

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Any questions, please come and ask,

Kind regards

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