

Class Information

Dormice Class



PE

Children will need their PE kits in school all week. Our lessons will be on a Wednesday and Friday.

Library

Children will be able to change their School Library book on a Thursday.

Frogs Class



PE

Children will need their PE kits in school all week. Our lessons will be on a Tuesday and Friday.

Library

Children will be able to change their School Library book on a Monday.

Mini Topics

Chinese New Year
Pancake day
Easter

Parent Help:

If you would like to help in the classroom please speak to a teacher or comment in your child's Reading Diary.

Where in the world is Barnaby Bear?



Ursula Taylor C of E School

Year 1

Spring Term 2016

This term we will be learning about the different countries Barnaby Bear visits. We will be focusing on the culture, foods, traditions and famous landmarks of each country.

Topic focus:
Geography

We will be learning about different countries, their weather and also looking at the features of Clapham. The children will be walking in the village and making their own observations. We will use these observations to draw a map of Clapham.



Key texts:

Barnaby goes to Dublin by Elaine Jackson

Barnaby goes to Norway by Elaine Jackson

Barnaby goes to Brittany by Elaine Jackson

Websites:

Google Maps, Google Earth

www.bbc.co.uk/cbeebies/

[barnaby-bear](http://barnaby-bear.com)

www.barnabybear.co.uk



Take Home Task 1

Make an information page about a country of your choice. Can you include the features of a non-fiction page?

Take Home Task 2

Can you use different materials to make a model of Clapham?
Can you write labels for the key features?



Numeracy

Our focus will be solving problems involving counting, adding and subtracting. Children will continue to recall number bonds to 10 and begin to learn number bonds to 20. Visualising, naming and describing 2D and 3D shapes will be included in practical maths activities.

P.E.

Gymnastics, Games and Dance will be taught this term.

R.E.

Children will be thinking about special places and religious buildings.

Computing

Children will be developing their skills while using Microsoft Word. Children will be using the internet to play games in Numeracy, Literacy and Phonics. We will be using Google Earth in our Geography topic.

Science

This term, we are learning about Everyday Materials. We will explore commonly found materials and describe some of their properties, including whether they are natural or man-made.



Topic focus: Art

This term we will be looking at textiles from India. We will be looking carefully at the colours and patterns to make a group weaving.

