

English		Maths			
In our English lessons, we will start by developing our handwriting and fine motor skills, ensuring that we use the correct pencil grip, and form letters correctly. We will also continue learning some simple spellings. Following this, we will be focusing on grammar and punctuation, using The Place Value of Punctuation and Grammar from Grammarsaurus. We will be learning about nouns, verbs, subject, and subject/verb single-clause sentences. Y2 will then further develop this by using co-ordinating conjunctions to join clauses. Our RWI lessons will continue daily, as well as Reading lessons in which we will read and discuss a variety of picture books, and develop our vocabulary and comprehension.		Our Maths lessons will focus on place value and addition and subtraction within 20 this half term. We will focus on counting, representing, ordering and building numbers using number tracks, ten frames and a variety of natural and mathematical resources. However, interwoven through this learning, the children will be encouraged to play with maths, developing their number sense and enabling an understanding of the patterns, and reasoning about what they see and use in their everyday lives.			
Science		Year 1 and 2 Bumble Bee Class Topic Web		Geography	
In Science, Years 1 and 2 will be learning all about everyday materials. Year 1 will be naming materials, describing their properties, and sorting objects by what they're made from. Year 2 will be extended to think about why different materials are used for different jobs, and how they can be changed by squashing, bending or stretching. It will be a very hands-on topic with lots of fun investigations!		 Autumn 1 2025		Our Geography enquiry question is What is it like here? We will be locating Brighstone Primary using aerial photographs. We will be creating a map of the classroom and finding key features in our outside areas and playground. We will draw simple maps and discuss what we like about our playground and what we could add to it. We will finish the unit by creating a design for a new playground.	
Art	Computing	Music	PSHE	PE	RE
In Art we will be exploring sculpture and 3D houses. We will learn how to shape using our hands. We will shape a pinch pot and join clay shapes as decoration. We will finish by designing and making our own clay tile.	Our Computing topic this half term is looking at the technology around us. We will identify different technology and the main parts of a computer. We will also create rules for using technology responsibly.	We will be focusing on under the sea. We will look at tempo and learn how dynamics can be represented using different symbols. We will clap rhythmic patterns and demonstrate a pitch pattern.	In our PSHE sessions we will be thinking about families and friendships, exploring how families can be different and the positive impact of good friendships.	In PE this half term we will be focusing on our team building skills and undertaking a variety of multi-skills games and activities.	In RE this half term, we will be looking at creation and how many Christians believe that God created our wonderful world, and that we should look after it. We will also be learning about the celebration of harvest.

