



## Year 1 Spring Term 2 Learning Challenge 2024

Successful Learners	How is a farm different to Hyde?		Successful Learners
<p style="text-align: center;"><b>Areas of Learning</b></p> <p><b>As Geographers</b>, we will be learning about human and physical features and how to draw a simple map using a key.</p> <p><b>As scientists</b> we will continue to look at different materials, what their proper names are, what they are used for and why they are used for those items.</p> <p><b>As Mathematicians</b> we will be concentrating on adding and subtracting within 20, accurately writing, counting and representing numbers to 50. We will also be learning how to measure length, height, volume and weight.</p> <p><b>As caring citizens</b> we will be ensuring that we recycle our paper and plastic - this will help the to keep the plastic out of the oceans.</p> <p><b>In Religious Education</b> we will be learning about Joseph and his brothers and then learning about the importance of Easter in the Christian faith.</p>			<p style="text-align: center;"><b>Areas of Learning</b></p> <p><b>As readers</b>, we will be reading a book called "The Robot and the Bluebird" which links to our learning about different materials in science and how they are used.</p> <p><b>As artists</b>, we will be using our noticing muscle to draw portraits and other observational drawings to help improve our fine motor skills.</p> <p><b>As information technologists</b> we will learn how to create animated story books on Purple Mash.</p> <p><b>As Musicians</b> we will be listening to different types of music and using adjectives to describe it and then to try to recreate our own.</p>
	<p><b>Christian Values</b></p> <p>We will be thinking of our value of courage this half term. We will listen to how people in the bible showed courage and using this to help us to be courageous - it could be trying some new food, climbing higher on the climbing frame or just challenging ourselves to try something new.</p>		
	<p><b>Spiritual Development</b></p> <p>We will have a sense of enjoyment and fascination in learning about ourselves, others and the world around us by learning about where our food comes from and the part that animals play in this.</p>		
	<p><b>Building Learning Powers</b></p> <p>We will be focusing on becoming <b>RECIPROCAL</b> learners. We will working hard to <b>collaborate</b> with our learning partners, <b>imitate</b> their ideas and learn how to <b>listen</b> and <b>empathise</b> with others in our class.</p>		



## ST GEORGE'S CE PRIMARY SCHOOL

I can't believe that we are leading up to Easter!! Where has the year gone?

**PE** - Please can you make sure that your child brings their PE kit in school. The PE kit consists of red shirt, black shorts and black pumps. This will remain in school with your child's name clearly labelled inside. PE day for this half term is WEDNESDAY.

**READING BOOKS/LIBRARY BOOKS** - our library day for choosing and changing books is every **Tuesday**. Please can you make sure that the books are in the book bags so these can be changed regularly. Your child will be heard read their reading book at least once a week, again, can you make sure their book is in their book bags **every day** and when you have heard them read at home, please write it into their reading record.

Please can you make sure that your child's name is in **EVERY SINGLE PIECE OF CLOTHING** - the children often mix up their polo shirts/trousers/skirts when they get changed for PE and they have no idea which item of clothing is theirs as they all look the same.

**HOMEWORK** - homework is changing. There will be a list of spellings to learn, maths number bonds, counting and reading homework instead of the choice boards. We will send out holiday choice board homework as a school linked to our values and our Building Learning Powers. If you want to send photos, email to [y1@st-georges-hyde.tameside.sch.uk](mailto:y1@st-georges-hyde.tameside.sch.uk)

**PLEASE COMPLETE THE HOMEWORK WITH YOUR CHILD!**

**WEBSITE** - don't forget to look at our class page on the website so you can see all the learning we do in school!

Thanks for your support

Mrs Strafford, Miss Finch, Mrs Pearcey and Miss Overton. (Year 1 team)