

Year 1 Autumn 1 2026 - The key vocabulary your child will be learning this half term is:

History artefact, famous person/ event, now then, changes in the past, history, modern and old similar and different, materials, 1950's, life, home, toys, differences, describe, before and after	DT: Bridges Explore, structures, design, build, spans, strength, beam, truss, suspension, arch, columns, models, test, tinker, reflect, evaluate, walkway, supports, ramps, steps, weight, assemble, join	Science Working scientifically, question, answer, observe, observing, equipment, identify, sort, group, compare, differences, similarities, Materials -touch, shiny, hard, rough, smooth, metal, wood, plastic, glass, fabric, textile, wool, soft, change, paper, rock, shiny, dull, bendy, stiff,
Computing login, password, private, home screen, work area, avatar, icon, typing, saving, log out, Purple Mash, programme, folder, home screen, icon, menu, topic area, username, online safety	Once Upon A Time– Autumn 1	PE- Fundamentals and ball skills stop, jump, balance, skip fast, slow, hop, move around, direction, space, body, control, travel, land, safely, far, aim, safely, direction, balance, send, run, stop, throw, roll, kick, catch, space, team
Music General vocab Pulse, rhythm, pitch, improvise, compose, melody, pulse, rhythm, pitch, groove, audience, imagination, structure, listening, appraising, feelings, feel, call and response (I sing, you sing) Dynamics louder, quieter, piano (quiet), forte (loud) Speed (tempo) Faster, slower, quick, bright, lethargic Timbre Smooth, light, flat, heavy, warm, cold		Maths counting, forwards, backwards, numerals, place value, sequence, order, more, less, fewer, counting in steps of, counting on and back, number line, number pairs to 10, 1 more/less than length, compare, ordering, measuring, non-standard, cm, 1-1 correspondence. 2d shapes, 3d shapes, properties. doubles, signs, plus, add, addition, takeaway, subtract, subtraction, together, equals, total, left, sum, calculation, rows, columns, 100 square grid
PSHE-Being me in my world safe, special, calm, belonging, special, learning charter, jigsaw charter, rewards, proud, consequences, upset, disappointed, illustration	Art Artist Paul Klee recreate, picture, painting, technique, style, create, 2d shapes-circle, square, triangle,	R.E What do Christians believe about God? Christianity, believe, belief, Creation, God the Father, Jesus