

## Second Half of Spring 2025 Year 1 Barn Owls (Year A)

<p><b>Literacy (Writing)</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Letters</li> <li>• Fact files</li> <li>• Diaries</li> </ul> <p><b>Key Y1 skills:</b> write a series of at least 3 sentences that make sense; link ideas with conjunction 'and'; consolidate use of full stops and capital letters; form letters correctly and leave finger spaces; segment words into sounds that have been taught</p> <p><b>Key texts</b>          Texts about Weather- Non fiction          Rainbow Fish          The Squirrels who Squabbled          Tiny Seed          The disgusting Sandwich          Coming to England</p>	<p><b>Literacy (Reading)</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Group reading</li> <li>• Phonics</li> </ul> <p><b>Key Y1 skills:</b> read phonics books without overt sounding out; read unfamiliar words linked to my phonics phase by segmenting and blending; answer questions by finding key information in a text; read fluently.</p>	<p><b>Maths- White Rose</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Place Value (up to 50)</li> <li>• Length and height</li> <li>• Mass and Volume</li> </ul>	<p><b>Science –</b></p> <p style="text-align: center;"><b>Growing things - Plants</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• identify and name a variety of common wild and garden plants</li> <li>• identify and describe the basic structure of a variety of common flowering plants, including trees</li> <li>• observe and describe how seeds and bulbs grow into mature plants</li> <li>• find out and describe how plants need water, light and a suitable temperature to grow and stay healthy</li> <li>• seed dispersal</li> </ul> <p><b>Key KS1 skills:</b> ask simple questions about the world; make observations using senses; carry out simple tests to help answer questions; observe how things change over time; use equipment to make measurements; identify patterns in results.</p>
<p><b>Geography- Weather</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• What is weather?</li> <li>• Where are different types of weather found?</li> <li>• Hot and cold climates.</li> </ul>	<p><b>Computing-Rising Stars</b>          We are researchers</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Using the internet safely</li> <li>• finding images using the web</li> <li>• use PowerPoint to present ideas</li> </ul>	<p><b>DT – Playgrounds</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Researching playgrounds</li> <li>• Designing playgrounds</li> <li>• Making model playgrounds</li> <li>• Evaluating</li> </ul>	<p><b>Music- Friendship song</b></p>
<p><b>RE- Why does Easter matter to Christians?</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Special Occasions – Why does it not matter to others?</li> </ul>	<p><b>PSHE- Jigsaw</b>  <b>Healthy Me</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Motivation</li> <li>• Making healthier choices</li> <li>• Healthy eating and nutrition</li> <li>• Healthier snacks</li> </ul>	<p><b>PE</b></p> <p style="text-align: center;">Ball Skills</p>	<p><b>Enrichment</b>          Library visit          Cookery day</p>

