



Beyond our Village



**Dovecote -Year 1
Spring Term 2025**

English

Jolly Phonics Scheme

Reading and Comprehension:

Jolly Phonics Books

Guided reading

Individual reading

Daily stories/Non-fiction/Poetry/Songs

Phonological Development

Daily phonic session - Decoding / Encoding / Handwriting

Spelling, Punctuation and Grammar

Jolly Grammar Scheme

Vocabulary

New vocabulary taught for all subjects.

Maths

In Maths lessons, we will be focusing on the following areas:

Number

Addition and subtraction within 20.

Place value within 50 (multiples of 2, 5, 10 to be included).

Measurement

Length and height.
Weight and volume.

Consolidation

All skills will be regularly revisited across the year.

PE:

Pupils will be focusing on movement and dance.

As **Historians**, pupils will focus their learning on the Victorian era, looking at the difference between Victorian and modern homes and schooling.

As **Geographers**, pupils will learn how their locality fits into wider geography. They will also focus on the difference between villages, towns and cities.

As **Musicians**, pupils will learn to recognise percussion instruments, experiment with sounds and listen to music. They will use symbols and pictures to record their compositions.

Science: Plants and Weather

In Science, pupils will continue to develop their understanding of the weather and the seasons.

Pupils will be taught to identify the basic structure of a variety of common flowering plants, including trees

Art/Design Technology:

In Art, children will learn to use collage and be inspired by the work of the artist Henri Matisse.

Pupils will also learn mark making techniques and be inspired by the artist Vincent Van Gogh.

In Design Technology, children will design and make a house for The Three Little Pigs.

RE

This term, our values are **Compassion** and **Respect**.

In RE, we will be exploring Judaism and Christianity through these questions:

Do we need shared places?

How should people care for the World?

Computing

In Computing, pupils will explore the questions:

Pencil or keyboard?

How can we group data?

PSHE (SCARF)

Pupils will learn about: 'Keeping myself safe' and 'Rights and Responsibilities'.