

# BHPS Curriculum Information

Year 1 Autumn 2 2016



Our Topic this half term is:

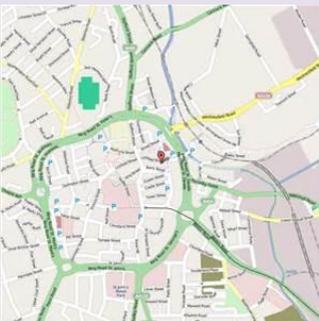
## What Can I Find Around My School?

We will be learning:

- About the continent, country and city they live in.
- To compare the similarities and differences between Bushbury and other areas of Britain.
- To use maps, atlases and globes to identify the UK and Wolverhampton.
- About the simple compass directions, North, South, East and West.



## How can you help your child at home?



- Discuss the area they live in and what physical and human features there are.
- Talk about the town and country they live in.
- Use geographical language when travelling such as North, South, East and West and if possible, look up journeys you take, on maps.

Our topic will also be explored through Design Technology lessons where we will study skills in cutting, designing and evaluating to create puppets.

In Science lessons we will be finding out about animals including humans. We will be identifying the parts of our bodies and also a variety of different animals including reptiles, mammals, fish and birds.

In Literacy we will be using our topic to help us learn about different ways of writing, such as Information texts, stories and poetry.

### You can help by:

Hearing your child read their reading book for at least 5 minutes a day then signing their reading record to tell us how they got on with it.

Helping them to practise spellings, which will be sent out on a Monday and will need to be learned by Friday each week.



Please make sure children are fully equipped for school with correct uniform, Reading Books and Diaries.

If you have any questions please feel free to speak to us after school when you collect your child.

