



ST MICHAEL'S
CHURCH OF ENGLAND ACADEMY

Year 1

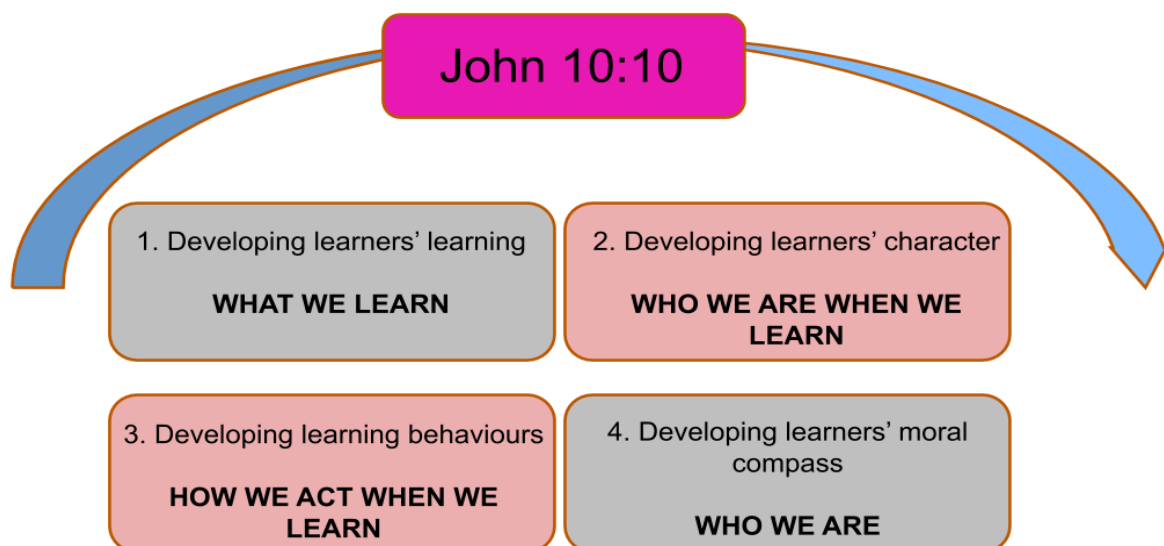
Autumn Term 2

What is my child learning this half term?

Our curriculum is the beating heart of our school and is rooted in John 10:10

"I came that they might have life and live it to the full"

Within our vision *'The future we create every day'* our children will develop a love of learning and be totally immersed in different worlds, cultures and times preparing them for the next stage of their education.



Autumn 2	Year 1 Curriculum
Talk for Stories	Each week we will be sharing a different story. We will dig deep into the stories and the different vocabulary used.
Writing	In Read, Write Inc this half term the children will continue to learn and revise their set 1, 2 and 3 sounds. In each group, they will explore a text related to their reading levels and sounds that they are learning. They will progress into composing descriptive sentences, questions, speech and thought bubbles and short narratives both orally and written.
Maths	Our Maths focus for this half term is addition and subtraction within 10. We will learn to name, recognise and describe 2D and 3D shapes. We will work on place value for numbers up to 20.
Science	In science this half term we continue to explore seasonal change. We will talk about the different seasons and the changes we observe. We will look at and discuss the weather associated with each season and how the length of the day varies. We will be identifying our body parts and investigating our senses. We will explore which body part is associated with each sense.
RE	In RE this half term, we will be exploring the question Do why does Christmas matter to Christians? We will be recapping the events of the Christmas story and the real meaning behind why we celebrate Christmas.
History	In History this half term we will finding out all about toys. We will talk about how the toys we play with today are different to the toys we played with when we were babies. We will look at how toys have changed over time.
PE	In P.E. this half term, we are welcoming Mr Berry from Kinetic Sport. He will be teaching the children a variety of activities that will look to develop their gross and fine motor skills and get them to understand the basics of working as a team.
RHE	Our focus in RHE is all about safe relationships. We will be looking at how we treat others and trust. We will continue to discuss how to keep safe online.
Music	In Music this half term we will be working on our school Nativity based on the story Jesus' Christmas party.
DT	In DT this half term we will be exploring moving pictures. We will find out about levers and sliders and use these moving parts to create a moving Christmas card.