



**St Maria Goretti Catholic Academy**  
**Statutory Curriculum Overview 2017-2018**  
**Autumn Term: Inventing, Achieving and discovering.**  
**Year 1 - Our Curriculum Drivers are: Knowledge of our World, Resilience and Independence.**

### English

Daily phonics and spelling sets  
To use cursive handwriting.  
Basic grammatical features of a sentence  
Writing letters and diary entries.  
The Winnie and the Witch series  
Class Author Julia Donaldson

### Physical Education

Gymnastics  
Dance  
Multi skills

### Computing

To communicate on-line to our class mates using the school blog.  
Learn about on-line safety issues.  
Coding

### Mathematics

Read and write numbers from 1 to 20 in numerals and words.  
Count to 100 forwards and backwards beginning from any given number.  
Given a number, identify one more and one less.  
Read, write and interpret mathematical statements involving addition and subtraction including = sign.  
Recognise and know the value of different denominations of coins and notes.  
Count in twos, fives and tens  
Sequence events in chronological order using language such as: before and after, next, first, today, yesterday, tomorrow, morning, afternoon and evening.  
Recognise and name common 2-D and 3-D shapes

### History

The first moon landing and Neil Armstrong.

### Geography

To locate the worlds Seas and significant countries studied during history-America and Britain.

### Modern Languages

Counting in Spanish  
Greetings

### Music

To sing accurately, following a melody and perform on stage!  
To use musical instruments and compose a piece of music

### Science

Electricity and making circuits.- inventing  
Materials and their properties- making rockets

### Religious Education

The creation story  
Families and celebrations  
Prayer  
Advent  
Christmas

### Design & Technology

Exploring computer design over history and making robots!

### Art & Design

Studying the work of Paul Klee  
Primary Colours  
Secondary colours  
Adding tints and tones to paint.  
Create colour wheels.  
Printing