

# John F. Kennedy Primary School

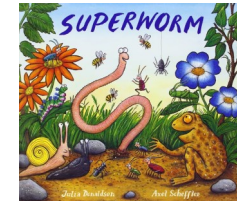


**John F. Kennedy**  
Primary School

**Year One**  
**Spring One 2024**

## Key Texts

- Supertato - Sue Hendra
- Superworm - Julia Donaldson



## Weekly Notices

- PE – Monday
- Forest School – Friday (alternate weeks)
- Return homework, word pot and reading books - Thursday
- New homework, tricky words and reading books given - Friday

## Parents and Families

School Returns for Spring One Term - Monday 8th January 2024

INSET Day - Friday 26th January 2024

Parents' Evening - Monday 12th February 2024

Parents' Evening - Wednesday 14th February 2024

School Closes for February Half Term - Friday 16th February 2024

School Returns for Spring Two Term - Monday 26th February 2024

## English

### Reading

- recognising phase 5 sounds
- blending and reading phase 5 words
- reading some tricky words on sight
- reading captions and sentences
- re-reading books to build fluency and confidence
- becoming very familiar with key stories
- recognising and joining in with predictable phrases



### Writing

- composing and writing simple sentences
- using capital letters, finger spaces and full stops
- Beginning to use ! and ? to punctuate a sentence
- using phonic knowledge to spell words
- spelling some common exception (tricky) words e.g. 'want' or 'any'
- beginning to use the conjunction 'and'
- sequencing sentences to form short narratives

## Maths



### Number and Place Value

- counting, reading and writing numbers to 50
- representing numbers with objects and pictorial representations including a number line
- using language such as equal to, more than, less than (fewer), most, least
- one more and one less
- odd and even numbers

### Calculation - Addition and Subtraction

- add and subtract amounts to 20
- solve one-step problems involving addition and subtraction
- doubling up to 10 + 10

### Fractions

- recognising and finding half of a quantity

## Science

### Seasonal Change

- observing changes associated with winter
- observing and describing weather associated with winter



## History

### Nurses

- developing an understanding of significant individuals from British history - Florence Nightingale and Mary Seacole
- comparing hospitals in the past and present
- developing an understanding of chronology
- using sources to find out about historical events and people



## Design Technology

- design, make and evaluate a super vegetable



## Art

- learning about the work of sculptor, Antony Gormley
- using tools to develop art and design techniques when using clay
- creating clay sculptures in the style of Antony Gormley



## Computing

### Digital Literacy - Basic Computer Skills

- logging in to a laptop
- opening computer programmes e.g. Chrome, Word
- using a mouse and keyboard



## PE

### Gymnastics

- developing balance, agility and co-ordination when using apparatus
- developing jumping and rolling skills e.g. tuck jump, forward roll, log roll

