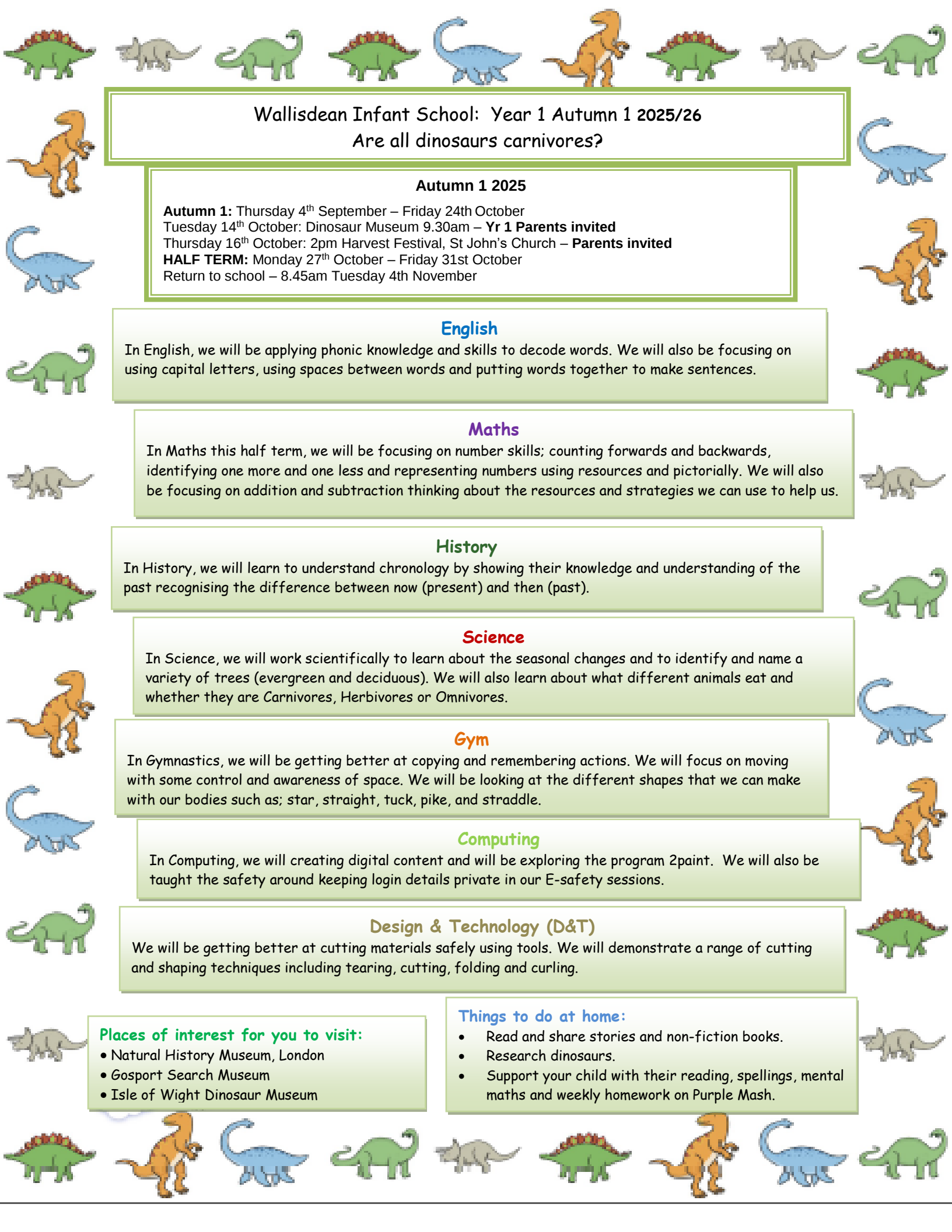




Wallisdean Infant School: Year 1 Autumn 1 2025/26

Are all dinosaurs carnivores?

Autumn 1 2025

Autumn 1: Thursday 4th September – Friday 24th October

Tuesday 14th October: Dinosaur Museum 9.30am – **Yr 1 Parents invited**

Thursday 16th October: 2pm Harvest Festival, St John's Church – **Parents invited**

HALF TERM: Monday 27th October – Friday 31st October

Return to school – 8.45am Tuesday 4th November

English

In English, we will be applying phonic knowledge and skills to decode words. We will also be focusing on using capital letters, using spaces between words and putting words together to make sentences.

Maths

In Maths this half term, we will be focusing on number skills; counting forwards and backwards, identifying one more and one less and representing numbers using resources and pictorially. We will also be focusing on addition and subtraction thinking about the resources and strategies we can use to help us.

History

In History, we will learn to understand chronology by showing their knowledge and understanding of the past recognising the difference between now (present) and then (past).

Science

In Science, we will work scientifically to learn about the seasonal changes and to identify and name a variety of trees (evergreen and deciduous). We will also learn about what different animals eat and whether they are Carnivores, Herbivores or Omnivores.

Gym

In Gymnastics, we will be getting better at copying and remembering actions. We will focus on moving with some control and awareness of space. We will be looking at the different shapes that we can make with our bodies such as: star, straight, tuck, pike, and straddle.

Computing

In Computing, we will be creating digital content and will be exploring the program 2paint. We will also be taught the safety around keeping login details private in our E-safety sessions.

Design & Technology (D&T)

We will be getting better at cutting materials safely using tools. We will demonstrate a range of cutting and shaping techniques including tearing, cutting, folding and curling.

Places of interest for you to visit:

- Natural History Museum, London
- Gosport Search Museum
- Isle of Wight Dinosaur Museum

Things to do at home:

- Read and share stories and non-fiction books.
- Research dinosaurs.
- Support your child with their reading, spellings, mental maths and weekly homework on Purple Mash.