

YEAR 1



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Coming up next week...05.12.22

Maths

This week we will be thinking about fact families and learning how to work our each fact family for a given number. We will be recalling our knowledge of addition and subtraction to help us.

English

Next week in provision Christmas will be arriving to year 1. The children will be given different challenges all based upon being a helpful elf. The children will use all of their skills and knowledge to help them achieve different styles of writing.

Phonics

We will be continuing to work on Phase 5, thinking about alternative graphemes for sounds that we have already come across. This week we will be learning about growing the code, which helps us use alternate sounds in different spellings.

Topic

Music - In Music we will be rehearsing the sings for Christmas production.

RE - We will be using our knowledge of the Christmas story to reorder and tell the story of the Nativity.

PE - Please be aware that as we draw closer to our Christmas production we will be rehearsing our play and this may impact our PE lessons. Please still send your child in wearing their PE kit on their PE days.

We will be continuing our topics Ball Skills and Fundamentals.

PSHE - We will be thinking about the different roles within a team and completing a task as part of a group.

DT- We will be using our puppet design to help us make a puppet.

We will also be continuing our rehearsals next week. We are all really looking forward to putting on an excellent show!

Additional notes and reminders

Homework:

Please revise Week 4 Phonics and practice the songs sent last week.

Lines for our school production have been sent home. Please help your child to learn them. All children were asked if they would like an individual speaking part. If your child has not got lines to learn please do not worry, they will be participating fully in another way.

Reading:

We have noticed that our Boom Reader percentages have dropped since the children were in Reception. Please make sure that you remember to record every time your child read on the app. Reading at home really benefits your child, please remember part of the children's homework is reading four times a week.

Additional Reminders

Year 1 Christmas Production:

Tuesday 13th December 9:15 and Wednesday 14th December 10:15. Please book your tickets via the Parent mail form by 28th November 11:00 am

Christmas Dinner 7th December. Children can wear their Christmas jumper if they wish.

Christmas Production Costume Request

Please ensure all costumes are named and sent into school in a named carrier bag by Monday 5th.

To support us in producing our Christmas play we are asking for your help in providing the following costumes for the children.

Badgers will be performing as Wise men. They will need black trousers/ leggings and a 'plain jewel coloured' top e.g. yellow, red, and purple. If possible a plain coloured cloak.

Hedgehogs will be need an all-black outfit. We will be adding stars so please be aware that these will be attached at school. If you are able to support with this at home please do.

Squirrels will be performing as Shepherds. They will need black leggings/trousers, a white, cream or brown t- shirt and a Tea towel for their head dress.

If you need any help with anything at all please let your class teacher know. Many thanks for your help.

Please note that as the week progresses it is sometimes necessary to change what is planned to meet the learning needs of the children and therefore changes to the above may occur.