

Curriculum News

Important Dates:

Children in Need - 15 November
Year 1 Theatre trip - 11 December
Christmas Jumper Day – 13 December
Whole School Christmas show – 16 December
Christmas Dinner – 18 December
School closes for Christmas Holidays – 20 December

PE

PE is every Wednesday afternoon for all children in Year 1. Please ensure that your child has the correct P.E kit in school.

Reading books

Reading at home is vitally important. Please remember to read at home every night and get your home reading record signed. Please bring your reading folder into school every day.

As readers we will be:

- Enjoying reading a variety of fiction texts, talking about the stories and trying to answer our theme questions
- Continuing with our Read Write Inc. groups, decoding confidently and reading with increasing fluency and expression
- Looking at some non-fiction texts in our science lessons
- Developing our comprehension skills



As writers we will be:

- Looking at Traditional Tales and re-writing our own stories.
- We will write a letter and post it.

As mathematicians we will be:



- Learning about positional language and direction
- Adding and subtracting up to and beyond 20
- Looking at 2D and 3D shapes

In Geography we will:

- Be observing changes across the seasons and thinking about day length.

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Autumn 2



As artists we will be:

- Looking at famous Artist Mondrian and Klee
- Learning primary colours and secondary colours

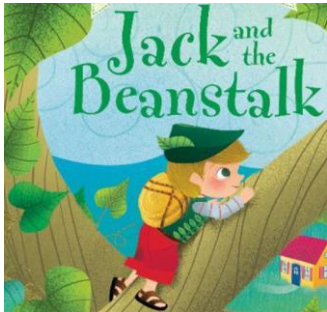
As scientists we will be:

- Exploring different materials. We will be naming everyday materials and learning about their properties.
- We will investigate different materials and think about what they can be used for.

As musicians we will be:

- Learning tradition Christmas carols and songs

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Once Upon a Time

What makes a good story?
Does a good story need a villain? Is there always a happy ending?

In Computing we will be:

- Thinking about common uses of the internet. We will research our theatre trip before going.

In DT we will be:

- Creating moving pictures linked to the texts we have read using levers and sliders.

In RE we will be:

- Learning the story of the nativity.
- Thinking about how Christians celebrate Christmas