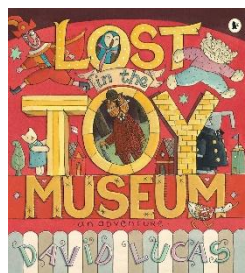




Class 1 Newsletter Autumn Term 2 2024

Dear Parents and Carers,

I hope that you and the children have enjoyed a well-deserved break, filled with lots of Autumnal activities and fun! This half-term, the children's topic will be 'Toys'. As you can imagine this is a really exciting topic for the children and we will have lots of fun in Class 1. This half-term we will be spending lots of time preparing for our KS1 Nativity. We are also looking forward to Monster Phonics day this Friday (8th November 2024) – be sure to dress up as your favourite Monster Phonics character!



General Information:

- Please ensure to label all of items of uniform, making it easier for us to return items of lost property to the correct home!
- Homework – This half-term all children will have up to 10 spellings to learn for the following week. Our spelling test will remain on a Friday.

We will continue to send home 2 books to read each week. We ask that you read with your child as much as possible at home and record this in the reading diary. Every read contributes to their 100, 200 and 300 reads!

A homework grid will also be sent home with different tasks for the children to choose from. We had such a lovely time showing off all of Class 1's work at the end of last half-term!

Autumn 2 in Class 1:

Our Topic:



Class 1's Topic will be 'Toys'. We will be using the text 'Lost in the Toy Museum' to support our learning across the curriculum subjects this half-term.

PE Sessions:

P.E. will remain on a Thursday and Friday morning. The children will be doing Dance and Yoga this half-term.

English: We will be focusing on building pieces of writing including story writing and riddles. Our book 'Lost in the Toy Museum' will support us with this.

Maths: This half-term in Mathematics, we will be focusing on addition and subtraction. This includes understanding the 'Part-whole model'.

Science: Our topic in science is Materials. We will be exploring the different properties of materials and which materials are appropriate for different objects and their use.

RE: In RE we will be focusing on the importance of Christmas to Christians.

History: This half-term in History our topic is 'Toys'. This is a really exciting topic for the children! We will have the opportunity to look at old toys and modern toys to compare how they have changed over time.

Computing: Our topic in Computing this term is Pictograms.

DT: Our focus is 'Toy Puppets' in DT this half term. The children will have an opportunity to make their own toy puppet!

Kind Regards,

Miss McDonald.