

We will be learning about how and why we celebrate bonfire night. Our main focus will be an history enquiry investigating how toys have changed over the past 2 generations.



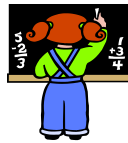
Literacy

In literacy we will continue to develop our phonic skills. We will also be applying our skills in using describing words to new contexts.

As part of our talk for writing learning we will be learning and innovating a report about different celebrations. We will also be starting Kinetic letters to support our teaching of handwriting.



In Maths we will continue with our learning on calculating by addition & subtraction. We will be encouraged to make choices as to the best resources to use to solve calculation problems. This will be underpinned by learning about the values of digits in 2 digit numbers. We will also be measuring the length & height of objects using a variety of measures.



Our work in PSHE will be linked to keeping ourselves safe in the dark – including the firework code. We will be focusing on positive friendships, including recognising what we are good at and what our friends are good at. We will be developing collaboration and teamwork skills.



Our learning powers focus will be based around the character "Segar". This character will model what to do when our learning is tricky and how to manage distractions to our learning.

We will be thinking about those occasions we celebrate and how we celebrate. These will include fireworks, birthdays, personal achievements, celebrations from other cultures such as Diwali and leading up to the Christmas celebration.

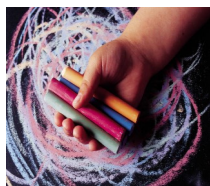


In art will be experimenting with tones, tints and



Our learning in Year 1 will be focused around the topic of **Seasonal Celebrations**

In our science learning we will be investigating pushes, pulls and electricity



shades of colour - using a variety of media.



through the context of toys. We will also be using the forest area to look at seasonal changes.

In computing we will be focusing on e safety and coding.



We will learn how to input instructions to move characters around the screen.



R.E. will focus on celebrations. We will be learning about the significance Angels as religious symbols. We will explore

Christian beliefs about the story of Christmas and discuss how this festival is celebrated around the world.



Our PE focus will be dance and gym - performing a sequence of linked actions with balance and safety. We are also working with Primary Stars who will be delivering an additional PE lesson once a fortnight.

In music we will be investigating pitch and rhythm through the use of voice, body sounds and instruments.

