

ENGLISH

This term we will be focusing on Fairy tales. We will start by reading and retelling the Gingerbread Man. We will look at character descriptions incorporating the use of interesting words. Our target focus this term is using conjunctions to write extended sentences.



Geography

We are identifying the North and South Poles. We will be learning about the weather and how humans and animals adapt to survive in these regions.



Year 1 Term 3

Fantastic Fairy Tales

PSHRE

We will be learning about our health and well-being including the importance of sleep and good personal hygiene routines.



MATHS

This term we will be focusing on place value of numbers. Consolidating addition and subtraction. We will continue to learn number words from 1-20, as well as number bonds.

TOPIC LAUNCH

We will be dressing up as characters from The Gingerbread Man, acting out the story and decorating gingerbread men.



R.E

This term we will look at Christianity. We will be learning about the story of Creation from the Bible.

SCIENCE

This term we will be exploring the weather and animals in polar regions of the world. Investigating different types of insulators and the properties of ice. Try and read an information book about polar animals with your child. We will also be learning about seasonal changes and winter.



PE

In PE we will be working on developing sequences of movements in Invasion Games and Yoga



DT

We will be designing, making and evaluating puppets and sliders based on characters from the story The Gingerbread Man. Please share books with your child that have flaps or sliding parts. See if you can find any in your local library.



Reminders

Please ensure your child has the following every day:

- red reading bag
- full and labelled water bottle, containing water
- labelled and suitable outdoor wear

- All items of your child's clothing, coats and especially jumpers and cardigans need to be named.

- Please remember to inform the **class teaching assistant in the morning** of any **alternative pick up arrangements**.
If you forget to inform us in the morning, please inform school ASAP, via phone.
If your child consistently attends an after school care facility, please write down the dates and which facility they will attend and pass on to the class adults.

- Please remember to hear your child read at home at least three times a week and record it in their reading journal. This need only be a date and signature.

Thank you for your continued support, we are really looking forward to an exciting term with your children.

Year 1 Team