

Computing

Our Computing learning unit is called, "I am a game designer."

We will be using Bee Bots to practise writing our own code. We will also use the app Scratch Jnr. to make our own computer games.

We will test and improve our games by adapting the code.



Physical Education

We will be practising gymnastic skills. We will learn different jumps, rolls, balances and dives.

In dance we will use our IPC topic on toys to inspire our movement. We will include mechanical movements to move like a robot and spin like a spinning top.



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Religious Education

We will learn about how Christians remember Jesus at Christmas.

We will explore how Christians prepare for Christmas and how at Christmas time they re-tell the birth of Jesus.

We will read some Bible stories to learn about Jesus, we will learn about caring for others, such as the poor and those in need.

Please Remember

Maths Homework and Spellings will go home every Friday. Homework must be returned on Wednesday. Spellings will be practised on Monday with a "show me what you know" session each Friday.

The Homework Passport includes knowledge and skills-based creative projects linked to English, our Class Reader, "I want My Hat Back and our IPC topic "The Magic Toymaker." This must be completed by Wednesday 14.12.2016. Thank you.

Year 1

The Magic Toymaker



IPC Topic

We will start our new topic called "The Magic Toymaker".



We will think about how toys work and what they are made of. In Geography we will look at toys from around the world and how they are similar and different to our own. In History, we will look at toys from the past and see how they have changed.

In Science, we will investigate how fast toys travel on different surfaces and which materials suit different toys best.

Reading

We will continue with Read Write Inc. classes and Daily Supported Reading. As well as our dedicated DEAR sessions twice a week.

Book bags should be brought to school every day. The children's books will be changed on Fridays. Please read, discuss and re-read the books sent home. Please comment and sign in your child's Reading Journal Book twice a week. Children may also add a comment.

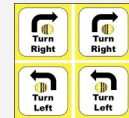
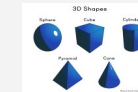
Mathematics

In Autumn 2, we will be focusing on shapes and patterns.

Children will learn to identify, sort and classify 2D and 3D shapes. We will learn how to describe the properties of shapes.

We will be making repeated patterns using 2D and 3D shapes. We will use positional language to describe patterns and follow instructions.

We will also use positional language to programme a floor toy.



Writing

"I want My Hat Back" by Jon Klassen will be the focus text for Year One during Writing Weeks, at the end of term. Children will learn to retell the story using actions, pictures and puppets. Once children are familiar with the story they will create their own versions of the book.

We will focus on story writing, using story patterns. We will learn how to write our own stories with a beginning, middle and an end.

REMEMBER OUR IPC

PERSONAL LEARNING GOALS

Adaptability

cooperation

RESILIENCE

enquiry

morality



communication

respect

thoughtfulness

How can you help me at home?

Help me practise my times tables at speed. By the end of the term children should be confident with their 2 times tables.

Help me practise my spellings. Spelling lessons will happen every Monday and Friday.

Read with me every night and comment in my Reading Journal twice a week.