

### Writing:

This term we will be building on our knowledge of how to hold and write a sentence using our phonics.

We've got some fantastic picture books which we will be referring to to create our own version of *I Want my Hat Back*.

### Phonics:

We follow the Read write Inc. (RWI) scheme for our phonics lesson and we will continue to learn new sounds and revise our previous sounds to help improve our reading.

### Computing:

We will learn about Online safety and explore Purple Mash.

### DT:

This half term in our design and technology lessons, we will be investigating mechanisms in the form of pop-up story books. We will be designing and evaluating these to present.

### RE:

This half term, we will continue with Christianity, but our focus will be The Christmas Story. Our lessons will explore the question - what gift would I have given to Jesus if He had been born in my town and not in Bethlehem?

### PHSE:

We will be celebrating differences, investigating assumptions and stereotypes about gender, understanding bullying and how we can stand up for ourselves and others. We look at making new friends, gender diversity and remaining

### Maths:

We will be focusing on building numbers by adding and subtracting within 10,  
Geometry: position and direction and shapes. The children will explore using manipulatives.

### ART:

Linking to History, our art this half term will focus on printing and exploring texture and painting fireworks.

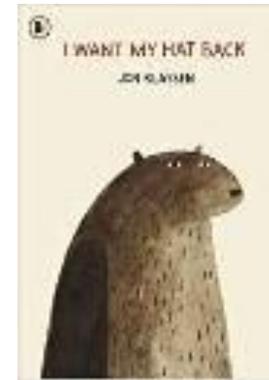
### PE:

PE we will be focusing on dance. Please send your child in with their PE kits. PE kits must be kept in school throughout the week and taken home on Friday to be washed and returned the following Monday.

### Home Learning:

Please read with your child every day, if possible, but a minimum of three times a week. As well as this, please find time to complete 3 of the challenges. Spellings will be sent home on a 3 week basis and tested within school on a Wednesday. There is also White Rose Maths 1 minute app to support Maths at home.

## Year 1 Topic Web Autumn Term 2



### Science:

In Science we will begin learning about grouping and organising animals. We will be discovering how we can sort and define a group of animals to classify.

### History:

In History, we will be learning about the great fire of London.

# Year 1

## Autumn Term 2



### Term dates:

First day of half term: Monday 30<sup>th</sup> October

Last day of half term: Friday 20<sup>th</sup> December

### INSET days:

INSET Days: Friday 24<sup>th</sup> November

### Other events:

Parents evening Tuesday 14<sup>th</sup> November

Thursday 16<sup>th</sup> November

Nativity dates to follow