



Weekly Curriculum News

! INFORMATION & REMINDERS

Thank you to all parents who have volunteered to help to create accessories for the Christmas performance.

PE Timetable

Tuesday - Year 1A - Swimming & Friday - Year 1A - Gymnastics

Tuesday - Year 1B - Gymnastics & Friday - Year 1B - Swimming

Monday - Year 1C - Swimming & Friday - Year 1C - Gymnastics

Thursday 26th November - Hearing screening test

Sunday 29th November - Christmas Bazaar

Tuesday 1st December - Matinée Christmas performance - 14:00 - 15:00

Wednesday 2nd December - Evening Christmas performance - 18:30 - 19:30

Thursday 3rd December - Christmas Carol Concert - 18:00 - 20:00



ENGLISH

In English, the children will re-read the story 'The Great Race' which explores the 12 animals of the Chinese zodiac. The children will re-write the story choosing which section they would like to change and adapt.

During Phonics lessons, the children will apply phonic knowledge and skills to decode and read words. They will read accurately by blending sounds in unfamiliar words identifying different graphemes and phonemes.

In handwriting, the children will be encouraged to make sure letters are formed and orientated correctly. There will be a focus on presenting work neatly.



MATHEMATICS

Our Maths focus this week will be to complete reading and recording the time on an analogue clock. The children will use their own handmade clocks to reinforce reading and recording the time.

The children will revisit adding and subtracting number bonds within 20.



TOPIC

The Personal Goal we will be focusing on this week is 'cooperation'.

The children are busy preparing for their Christmas performance and are working hard to communicate effectively with each other during rehearsals.

The children will continue to explore the animals of the Chinese Zodiac. Using the knowledge they have found out about the Zodiac they will create posters to share their learning and use different materials to create their own 3D animal.

'As Scientists' the children will record their work on endangered animals to create a class fact file.