



# Weekly Curriculum News

## ! INFORMATION & REMINDERS

Dates for your diary:

Sunday 29th November: The Christmas Bazaar - 11.00 - 15.00

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

Thursday 10th December: Class Christmas parties; more information to follow.



## ENGLISH

Over the past weeks, children have engaged in a huge amount of learning in order to understand new grammar terms and techniques to build into their writing. Next week, the learning objective will be:

- Select appropriate grammar and vocabulary to change or enhance meaning.

Within this objective we will give children the opportunity to do some writing to demonstrate their understanding of this skill and to incorporate some of the objectives covered across the term.

In reading children will further develop their debating skills and continue to embed an understanding of different texts and respond to their meaning through their online reading tool; Nearpod.



## TOPIC

Our 'What a Wonderful World' topic is continually developing the children's ability to collect and record evidence in order to answer geographical questions. Children have been representing this information in different ways. This week, children began the early stages of researching a natural disaster.

Next week, children will continue this research. Working in groups, children will complete their radio broadcast reporting on the cause, damage and resolution of extreme weather types. This activity will develop the children's skills in communicating their knowledge and understanding of geography in a number of different ways and use appropriate techniques to gather information.

We will also begin our learning on global warming next week; children will write a newspaper report or magazine article to report on the problem of global warming and its effects across the world.



## MATHEMATICS

Next week in Maths children will continue with their Geometry learning.

We will be covering the following objectives:

- to find the area of a parallelogram & a triangle.

- to find the area of compound shapes.

- to find the volume of cuboids.

- to find the area and circumference of a circle.

Children will learn the properties of different shapes and how to use this to determine the area or volume of 2D shapes.

Starter activities will focus on previously covered objectives set in a context as word problems.