



Year 1 Newsletter Autumn 2

2018

Topic: Amazing places and spaces in UK.

Here is an outline of some of the learning activities for the year1 classes this half term.



Phonics



We have had a great start to phonics this term. Children are working hard to transfer their phonics into their reading and writing. We have started to look at alien words. These are words which we can sound out but do not make sense! Which is the alien word? **shib shop**
Can you think of anymore?

Reading

We will change your child's reading book on Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays. Please remind your child to put their book in the basket in the classroom on these days. Please continue to support your child by hearing them read daily and sharing your own favourite stories with them. We will be looking at books linking to our topic about space. A reminder that library books are changed on Tuesday.

Maths

In maths we will be estimating and ordering numbers. We will also be learning to double and halve numbers to 20 as well as odd and even numbers. We will also be learning the names and properties of 2D and 3D shapes.

Science



In science, we will continue to explore the seasons as the weather pattern changes through the term.

Writing

This half term we will be completing fiction and non-fiction writing. We will be reading stories linked to our topic and writing a diary entry about an exciting trip to somewhere in the UK. We will also be writing our own poems.



Exciting News

Friday 9th November – Non uniform day tombola
Thursday 15th November – anti bullying workshops
Friday 16th November – children in need non uniform day
Friday 23rd November – Jazzy jars non uniform day
Friday 30th November – non uniform day
Monday 10th December – Rock steady concert
Wednesday 12th December – Christmas lunch
Monday 17th December – pantomime
Wednesday 19th December – year one Christmas show