

Year One Newsletter

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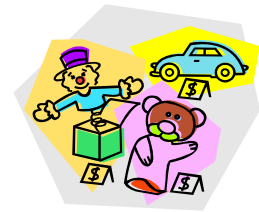
Welcome back to the second half of the Autumn Term. The children have really settled into Year One and we are all pleased with their progress so far. We are looking forward to another busy and fun half term.

PE

We will continue to do dance on Tuesday mornings with Beccy and Gymnastics on Friday afternoons with Chris.



Toys



This half term our Learning Focus is Toys. Children will have the opportunity to learn about old and new toys, write instructions for building with construction toys, and find out about moving toys and forces. Our Visual Literacy will be Toy Story 2. Children will have the opportunity to watch the film and explore the characters, setting and plot.



Mathematics

In Mathematics we will be reinforcing careful counting skills and recognising numbers to 20 and beyond. We will also be solving number problems using money, and doubling and halving.



Christmas!

Over the next couple of weeks children will be coming home with Christmas lines and songs to learn for the Year One Nativity. We really appreciate all of your help and support with this.



Thank you from the Year One Team

Mrs McFall, Mrs Wheale, Mrs Wallach, Mrs West, Mrs Smart, Mrs Williams, Mrs Armstrong and Mrs Hankin