Term 2 Newsletter - Year 1

DINOSAURUMPUS!

Next term, we will be learning about Dinosaurs! We will be looking at the different species of dinosaur and the environment they may have lived in. In our science we will be looking at animals including humans, focussing on different categories of animals e.g mammals, reptiles etc. We will also continue our seasonal change spotting.

In English, we will be learning a story with a focus on setting. We will rehearse the story using symbols and actions before having a go at writing our own. Later in the term we will be learning about non-fiction texts based on dinosaurs.

We will be reading various books this term focusing around our theme of dinosaurs including "Chalk" and "Harry and the Bucket Full of Dinosaurs."

Also this term...

In Maths we will be working with numbers up to 20, building on previous learning; focusing on addition and subtraction using the part whole model. We will be looking at how numbers are made up of tens and ones, finding one more and one less. We will be writing, ordering and comparing numbers and also naming 2D and 3D shapes.

In History, we will be learning about how we know about the past. We will be looking at some family trees, including the Royal family. We will be learning about the role of historians and what historical sources are.

In Design Technology, we will be designing and making sock puppets! We will be practising communicating our design through drawings before using the tools to make our finished design.

In Religious Education we are looking at Christianity and The Christmas Story.

Just a few reminders:

- INSET DAY Monday 4th November
- First day back is Tuesday 5th November
- -Please ensure all children wear their P.E. kit to school on Mondays, as well as Polar Bear class on Wednesday's and Paddington Class on Thursday's.
- Read, read, read! Please continue to read with your child at home and sign the homelink book to let us know that the books have been read.
- Please ensure ALL items of clothing are named. Thank you:)
- Remember LKL homework is set on Google Classroom and is shared and celebrated on Friday afternoons so please upload what you do!