

### Writing:

This term we will be looking at the book the Naughty Bus. You can ask your child about all the naughty things the Naughty Bus has been up to in our classroom.

You can help your child at home by getting them to practise how to write the letters of the alphabet and ensure they are forming their letters correctly. Children could also have a go at writing sentences/words about the books they are taking home to read.



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### Phonics:

The children are working in eight phonic groups across the year group. They are practising reading and writing their sounds daily. The Parent Workshop on Monday 13<sup>th</sup> November was a great success and thank you to all parents who attended.

Phonics  
ee ur ow  
wh y au

### Learning for Life:

Our theme this term is 'Changes'. In Geography we will be looking at changes in weather and seasons. Each classroom has been turned into a different season and the children are having the opportunities to explore and learn about these particular times of year. The children will move onto creating weather charts. The children will be extending their vocabulary by learning new and exciting words to describe the weather. When out and about with your children please talk about the weather and discuss what they can see, hear and feel.

### Numeracy:

- We will be learning:
- Number bonds
- Addition
- Subtraction

12345  
67890

- All children will continue to practise their number recognition and formation. Children will be applying these skills to solve problems.

### Reading:

Your child will be read with twice a week. They will have their Guided Reading book changed once a week. They will need to have their book bags in school so that a new book can be sent home. Children will have the opportunity to choose a library book to share with you at home. Please try and read with your child and share these books together. Children will be sent home with new reading logs so please look out for these and fill them in every time you read with your child.



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## Computing: 'We Are Treasure Hunters'

This term we are learning how to give instructions and how to program a Bee Bot.

The children will be learning the term 'algorithm' and having a go at making their own.

We will also be teaching the children how to log on to the school computers and we will be learning all about how we can keep safe online. Online Safety Day is on Tuesday 21<sup>st</sup> November 2017. Look out for the parent workshops helping you to help your children keep safe online.

## RE:

The dispositions we will be looking at this term are:

- Cultivating inclusion, identity and belonging.
- Being modest and listening to others.

## PE:

We have PE sessions every **Monday and Thursday**. Please make sure that your child has their PE kit in school on these days.

Children need to bring:

- pumps/trainers
- black joggers or leggings (for the colder weather)
- their school PE top
- a jumper or sweat shirt.

Please can you make sure that all items of clothing are clearly labelled.

This term the children will be doing *Gymnastics* and *Attack, Defend, Shoot* activities.



## Science:

The children will be learning how to classify animals.

They will learn about fish, birds, mammals, reptiles and amphibians. The children will have a special visit from the Animal Man at the end of term where they will have the chance to see some of the animals they have been learning about up close and even handle some of them.

