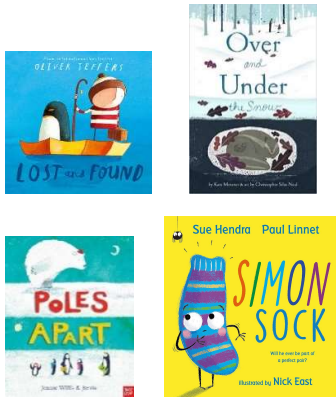


Class 1 EYFS Autumn 2

# Newsletter

## Our class texts...



## Key Learning this term...

This term EYFS are travelling all the way to the coldest places on Earth - Antarctica and The Arctic!

We'll be exploring adventure stories and information texts about animals that live in these cold places.

During National 'Anti Bullying' week (week beginning 13<sup>th</sup> Nov) we will explore stories about acceptance/individuality and engage in activities that will help us learn what bullying is and how to deal with unkind behaviour and bullying.

In maths, we will be exploring numbers up to 10. We will count objects and practise writing and ordering numbers. We will also start to look at number bonds for numbers up to 5.

In literacy, we will continue to encourage children to write their name, using correctly formed letters and holding their writing equipment with a correct grip. We will learn the letter sounds to match single letters (j,v,w,x,y,z) and some diagraphs (zz/qu/sh/th/ng/nk). Hopefully we will be able to confidently blend sounds to read three letter words by Christmas!

The children will explore the world around them as they discover more about familiar celebrations e.g. Bonfire Night and Christmas. We will also explore nature as we learn about the changing seasons.

## Dates for the diary...

Friendship Week - week beginning Mon 13<sup>th</sup> Nov

Sports Hall athletics event - Thurs 16<sup>th</sup> Nov

Children In Need - Fri 17<sup>th</sup> Nov

EYFS and Y1 pantomime trip - Thurs 7<sup>th</sup> Dec

Infant Christmas Play - Mon 11<sup>th</sup> Dec - 6pm

PTA Christmas Bingo - Tues 19<sup>th</sup> Dec

Christmas dinner - Thurs 21<sup>st</sup> Dec

## Reminders...

Please make sure your child brings their bag to school every day, with their reading book.

A new reading book will be given out each Friday and children will also choose a book from our class library. Please provide your child with a filled water bottle each day. We encourage children to drink water.

PE kits should be in school at all times. Our specific PE day will be on a Monday this term. PE kits will come home at the end of the half term for a wash.

## Recommended Read!

Children will love picking their favourite dogs and spotting the puppy in busy scenes. This hilarious picture book is a great way to introduce children to Christmas traditions.

