



# Year 1 - Autumn 2

## Celebrating Everyone!



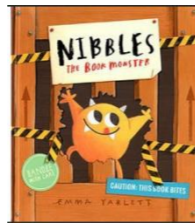
Our WOW starter:

Monster Mash Bonfire Bash

EPIC Ending:

Santa visit

Our focus text in English:



I wonder what toys my grandparents played with...

### Important Dates/Events:

- Monster Mash Bonfire Bash 4<sup>th</sup> Nov
- Bonfire Night 5<sup>th</sup> Nov
- Remembrance Day 11<sup>th</sup> Nov
- Anti-bullying Wk 10-14<sup>th</sup> Nov
- Odd Socks Day 10<sup>th</sup> Nov
- Children in Need Pudsey Run 14<sup>th</sup> Nov
- No Pens Day 26<sup>th</sup> Nov
- Christmas jumper day 11<sup>th</sup> Dec
- Mansfield Museum visit 19<sup>th</sup> & 20<sup>th</sup> Nov
- Christmas Concerts WC 1<sup>st</sup> Dec
- Christmas Fair 12<sup>th</sup> Dec
- Christmas Crafts 16<sup>th</sup> & 17<sup>th</sup> Dec
- Christmas party day 19<sup>th</sup> Dec

### Home Learning Opportunities:

- Reading weekly at home
- Using Numbots
- Investigate what household objects float and sink - why?
- Talk to grandparents about toys and games they used to play with



### English and Phonics

This half term we will be reading Nibbles the Book Monster. We will continue to practise using capital letters, finger spaces and full stops and begin to use 'and' to join sentences.

In phonics, we will continue to learn these phase 5 sounds:

/igh/ ie i i-e /ai/ ay a a-e /oa/ oa o o-e /ee/ e ie e-e ea  
/oo/ /uoo/ ew u-e u ue /or/ aw claw /ur/ ir bird



### Science

This half term we will continue our learning about materials. We will be testing and investigating the properties of materials and sorting objects by their properties. The children will investigate objects that float and sink.

We will be looking at seasonal change and what happens in winter.



### Physical Education

This half term our focus will be on ball skills. We will be practising throwing, bouncing and catching.



### Religious Education

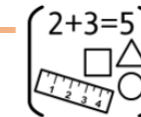
This half term our focus will continue to be on myself and caring for others. We will be reading 'The Lost Sheep' and considering what this story means.

We will also learn how and why Christmas is celebrated.



### SCARF

This half term our focus will be 'Valuing Difference'. We will be thinking about what is fair and unfair and why we have school rules.



### Maths

In maths this half term we will continue to focus on addition and subtraction within 10. We will use mathematical resources to help support our learning and move onto using jottings to help us answer simple addition and subtraction questions.

We will also recognise and name 2D and 3D shapes.



### Computing

This half term our focus will be 'Digital painting'. We will be using laptops and iPads to paint pictures and learning how to use the shape and line tools.



### History

This half term our history topic is 'Toys and Games'. We will be learning that toys and games have changed over time and that the toys we use today can be different to the toys our older relatives played with. We will also explore toys and games from the Victorian era and explain how they are different to our toys today.



### Art

This half term we are practising our drawing skills. We will be learning how to draw different facial features and how to draw proportions of the face. We will then have a go at drawing our own self-portraits.

We will also learn about the artist Frida Kahlo.



### Music

This half term we will be learning the songs for our Christmas concert!