

## Autumn Term 2 Newsletter Class 1 and 2

Dear Parents / Carers,

We hope you had a super half term break and managed to enjoy some of the good weather! We are jumping straight into an action packed term and this will begin with a traditional tale themed topic 'The Story Tree. We know some of the children may have read some traditional tales already and we will be looking to share their knowledge of these tales along the way. This term also sees the return of the Nativity; the children will soon be practising the songs and their lines if they have speaking roles. Details about costumes will be given to you at a later date if required. The dates for your diary are:

Tuesday 12<sup>th</sup> December 1.30 start

Wednesday 13th December 1.30 start

Thursday 14th December 6pm start

## Home learning

We will be sending home the home learning brochure based around the new topic, 'The Story Tree'. Each week there is a task to be completed, remember all home learning is due in on Tuesday of each week. A copy of the brochure can also be found on the website. Class 2 will also begin receiving a separate piece of maths home learning too.

## PE with

## Mr Tanner

Class 1 will have PE on Tuesday and Friday and class 2 will have PE on Monday and Tuesday.
Children should have a labelled PE kit in school, as it gets colder this should consist of lots of layers and suitable outdoor footwear.

With the weather becoming colder and wetter it is especially important that the children have a change of suitable clothing for forest school activities. This could just be a waterproof coat, trousers and wellington boots. Class 1 will have forest school on November 21<sup>st</sup> and class 2 will have forest school on November 14<sup>th</sup>. There will be no forest school on the scheduled dates in December due to the Nativity.

Both classes have a fabulous free workshop coming up this term too, this has been provided to us by Warburtons. Class 1 have their workshop on Thursday  $9^{th}$  November and Class 2 have theirs on Friday  $10^{th}$  November.

The pantomime has also been booked and Mrs Saville will provide more details closer to the time but another date for the dairy – Tuesday  $4^{th}$  December.

Miss Kibblewhite, Mrs Smith and Miss Igoe