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**DATES FOR YOUR DIARY**

**11/12 – Drum theatre: The Gingerbread Man**

**20/12 – St Eustachius Christmas service**

1. **ENGLISH :**

**Our work will include:**

* Reading fluently.
* Reading comprehension.
* Developing vocabulary.
* Developing sentence structure

and spelling accurately.

* Using a traditional tale to write for different purposes, poetry and performing poetry.

**MATHS**: This term, we will be learning to:

* Identify the properties of 2D and 3D shapes.
* Addition and subtraction including using money.
* Identify and know the properties of odd and even numbers.
* Count in 2s, 3s, 5s from 0 and in 1s and 10s from any number. Know multiples of 2, 3, 5 and 10.
* Use coins in different combinations to make a given amount.

**This term we are going to be exploring:**

**Science**: Uses of everyday materials.

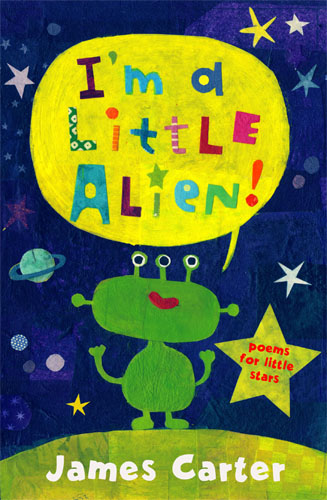
**Art/DT:** Making Christmas cards and calendars. Christmas cooking.

**History/Geography**: How did Christopher Columbus find America? Tudor Life.

**Music:** Christmas Music – singing linked to the Christmas story.

**PHSCE:** Health and Well-being.

**Computing:** Filming performance poetry and e safety.





**Science: Uses of Everyday Materials**

* **Explore materials and their purposes.**
* **Investigate how different materials change shape.**
* **Learn how to carry out a fair test.**

**RE**



* Parables
* Jewish beliefs
* The Christmas Story

If you would like to come into class and help – with reading, other activities or general classroom support we would love to welcome you. Please see Mrs Alexander , Mrs Holden or Mrs Barnes.

**REMEMBER**

Please ensure your child brings their reading book and home school diary to school EVERY day.

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**Developing children’s fundamental movement skills as the building blocks for all sport plus balance, coordination and ball skills,**

**PE KIT SHOULD STAY IN SCHOOL ALL WEEK: BLACK SHORTS, WHITE T- SHIRT & TRAINERS.**

Our **Skill for Success** this half term is

**Self Belief – I know I can do it!**

**SPELLINGS: SET ON FRIDAY; TESTED THE FOLLOWING FRIDAY**