



Key Stage 1 Newsletter

Spring Term 1

Dear Parents and Carers,

We hope you all had a lovely Christmas break and Happy New Year!

This term the theme of our topic is '**People and Places**' with the focus using the text 'Little Red Riding Hood'.

- In **Literacy** we are studying texts that focus on traditional tales and instructions. The text we will be focusing on this half term is 'Little Red Riding Hood'. We will also be following simple instructions in order to give directions. We will be following instructions during cooking sessions linked to our curriculum.
- In **Maths** we will be continuing with our number work, exploring quantities and solving problems. We will also be focusing on sharing an object and sharing objects between small groups.
- Through **KSUW** we will be exploring position and direction and creating maps, this will also link to our Maths. We will be looking at cooking sweet dishes linked to the story of Red Riding Hood and learning to use different tools and techniques. Another focus will be 'people and places' in school and the local community, we will also touch on road safety.
- Swimming, outdoor learning and P.E: Each class will let you know when your PE and outdoor learning days are and if your child is swimming this half term

Please send a named pair of pumps (or full PE kit if you prefer) if you not already done until it is safe to get changed into full PE kit. For outdoor learning could you please make sure your child has a pair of labelled wellies in school.

We are looking forward to another great term and to working alongside you, so please feel free to contact us if you have any questions, queries or to share some news from home.

