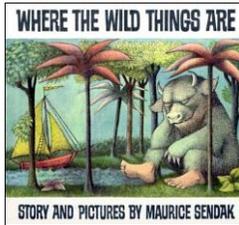


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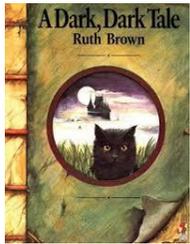
As a class we will be sharing two stories in class during Term 1 – 'Where the wild things are' and 'A dark, dark tale'. We will discuss the stories that we have read in class and listen respectfully to others.



Year 1 will be retelling our stories to help us become familiar with their special characteristics.

In our writing we will focus on writing a successful sentence that includes finger spaces, full stops and capital letters. We will use

'think it, say it, write it' to help compose our sentences before we write. We will be using our class stories as inspiration for our writing.



Phonics

In Year 1 we will be continuing the Read Write Inc program and sessions will take place daily. Sessions will include daily speed sound lessons and reading a shared book.

Science

We will be learning about the seasons and observing what happens to the weather, plants and animals as we move into Autumn and towards Winter.

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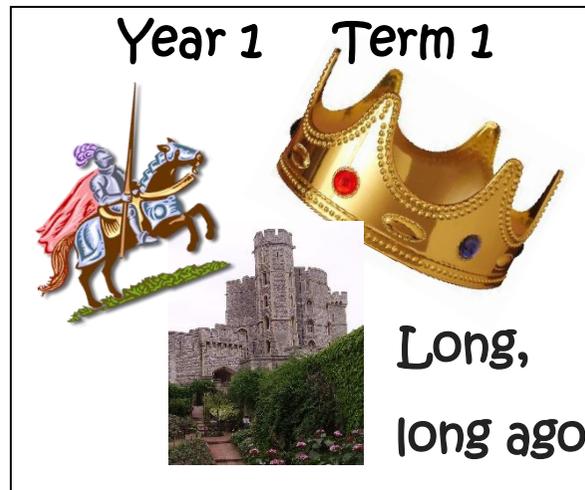
Our project this term will be making a model castle

P4C

We will continue with our weekly Philosophy for Children sessions in class.

Topic/History

Our topic will be all about castles. We will learn about why they were built and who lived in them. We will also investigate who might live in a castle today!



PE

PE will take place on Tuesdays and children should have a suitable PE kit. Your child's PE kit can remain in school for the term.

Art/Design technology

We will be taking our inspiration from Autumn to create our art during term 1.

Maths

In Maths we will be developing our knowledge of place value. We will be securing our understanding of counting forwards and backwards within 20; identifying one more and one less; and counting, reading and writing numbers in numerals and in words. We will also be exploring how we can represent numbers in a variety of ways.

As we move through the term we will begin to explore addition and subtraction, including solving number problems improving our recall of number bonds

Geography

We will explore the United Kingdom and begin to use geographical vocabulary to identify the 4 countries and capital cities of the UK and its surrounding seas.

R.E

We will be exploring Harvest Festivals and how it is celebrated around the world