### Dates for the Diary:

3.11.22 Parent forum 2 (09:00 and 18:00)

4.11.22 SEND coffee morning

14.11.22 Anti-bullying week and Odd Socks Day

18.11.22 Wear spots for Children in Need

9.12.22 Christmas jumper day

13.12.22 Christmas lunch for Y2, 3, 4 and 5

15.12.22 Winterfest

### We are Writers

As writers we have been immersed in fairy tales and traditional stories. We have focused on **The True Story of the Three Little Pigs** and used it to help us begin to learn how to punctuate speech, as well as use pronouns and adverbs.





We will then delve into **Inside the Villains**, a wonderful picture book all about fairy tale villains. We will use this to learn how to write non-chronological reports.

In **spelling**, we will learn some new prefixes and look at when 'y' makes an 'i' sound. We have loved our handwriting lessons and have made huge progress in consistently using cursive.

## We are Self-Aware Citizens

During our Friday afternoon PSHE lessons, we have been exploring the theme **Celebrating Difference**. In this learning we have been exploring our similarities and differences and celebrating how exciting it is to live in a world where everyone is unique.

### We are Historians

As historians we will be exploring the **Tudor** period, including monarchs and significant events. We will learn about what life was like from the Battle of Bosworth to the Golden Age of Elizabeth I.

In our writing, we will write a non-chronological report about Henry VIII.





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### We are Artists

As artists, we will be exploring what sculpture is and different ways we can create sculpture. We will be using lots of different materials to experiment and create a variety of sculptures.

In our writing, we will be evaluating the materials we have used and the art we have created.



#### General Reminders:

PE lessons are on Tuesday and Thursday. Please send your children into school in their trainers on these days.

Your child should bring home a levelled reading book and a new Reading Tree book with their bookmark. They can change these independently when they are ready. Please support them on their reading journey by reading at least 5 times a week and filling in their bookmark.

### We are Mathematicians

In maths this term we will be learning about numbers to 1000, focusing on the composition and place value of 3-digit numbers. We will solve addition and subtraction equations using 3-digit numbers and apply this to problems involving units of measure.

Throughout our maths learning this term, we will continue to develop our problem solving and reasoning skills, with a particular focus on using our talking topaz power to share our ideas and explain our thinking.



### This term we will also be...

Athletes - developing our fundamental skills on a Tuesday, and our netball skills on a Thursday. Linguists — learning how to greet others in Spanish.

Philosophers — learning about the history of Christmas and the different ways people celebrate.