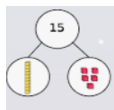




Happy New Year and welcome back to another school term. I hope everyone has had a wonderful Christmas and a well earned break. I am really looking forward to starting the new year as we mean to go along, with enthusiasm and enjoyment for learning. We have an exciting term ahead. As a school, we will be continuing to reinforcing our values of kindness, courage and resilience, as well as introducing the values of honesty, curiosity and endeavour.

### Maths Place Value to 20 and to 50 Year 1

The children learning number bonds to 20 and 50. They will understand how to partition 2 digit numbers. They will represent these numbers using a variety of ways using concrete resources. They will then use these numbers to answer number calculations



### Year 2 Money and multiplication and division

The children will start to learn about money. They will understand what each coin and note is worth and complete number calculation, reasoning and



### Geography—The UK

Our unit this half term is about the UK. We will talk about which countries are part of the UK and discuss the meaning of a union. We will then investigate each of these countries in further detail



### PE: Football

The children will be using their agility and balance in football. They will be taught how to pass and shoot effectively.

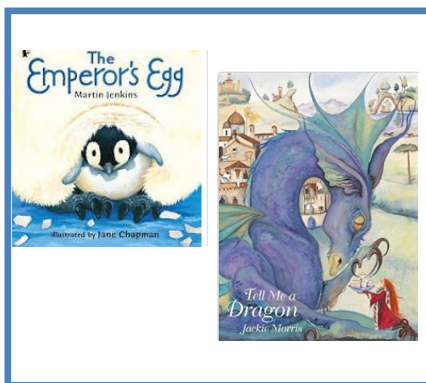


### Class messages:

Outdoor PE will taken place on a Tuesday afternoon.  
Indoor PE will taken place on Wednesday afternoon.  
Homework will be sent home on a Friday, can this be returned on a Wednesday.  
We will be completing spelling tests on Friday

### Important dates to remember:

Friday the 10th February—break up for half term  
Monday 20th February—return to school



### English:

For the first 2 week the children will be reading The Emperor's Egg. They will be learning about the features of an information texts and will create their own related to penguins.

The children will then beginning reading the book Tell Me A Dragon. This beautiful book will capture the children's imagination leading to setting and character descriptions. They will create their own dragon and write a descriptive piece along

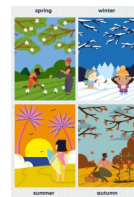
### PSHCE & RE:

In RE we will be learning what its means to part of a church or mosque.

In PSHE we will discuss safety and the changing body, incorporating road safety and making emergency calls.

### Science: Seasons and weather

This half term we will be learning about the seasons and why we have different seasons. We will discuss the tools used to identify and record weather. The children will understand the different types of clouds and what these indicate. The children will work scientifically to become weather forecasters.



### Computing: Rocket to the moon

The children will further develop their computing skills by recognising digital content. They will create computer based designs and follow these to make a rocket.



### Music: Pitch and Tempo

This unit will cover the meaning of pitch and tempo — the children will learn these musical terms of this and demonstrate their understanding using percussion instru-

