

# Year 1 and 2 Newsletter

## Friday 13<sup>th</sup> November 2015.



### English:

In Miss Larbey's English lessons the children are starting a new topic about adverts. They are exploring the key features of adverts and what information an advert needs to have.

All of the children have enjoyed writing about the fireworks they have seen or the firework videos they watched in their classes. The children have used a range of fabulous adjectives and descriptive sentences.

In their Read, Write, Inc lessons, the children have continued to apply their phonics to their reading and their writing.

### Mathematics:

The children have now been placed into new groups for Maths.

They have all settled in excellently and started learning new areas of Maths.

In Year 1, the children have learnt about shape. They have explored the properties of shape and they have even been outside to discover different shapes.

In Year 2, the children have started learning about subtraction. Using physical equipment, the children were able to start using number lines

### Reminders

#### Christmas Play:

As the Christmas season soon approaches, the children will start learning their Christmas play. We will be asking for parent to supply their child with their own costume. The children will be sent home with a letter explaining the role they have and what costume they need.

#### Bake sale:

We will be holding a Big Bake on the days of the Christmas play this year to raise funds to pay for learning resources for the children. We will be displaying a list of items we would like by the doors of the playground. Any contributions will be gratefully appreciated.

### Science:

The children have continued to learn about animals in the past two weeks.

After exploring the life cycle of a human, they learnt about a life cycle of a frog and a butterfly. The children have then learnt how to care for animals and what all animals need in order to survive.

The children will be exploring healthy eating next.