



## Class One Spring Term 2

Welcome back to the second half of the Spring term. I hope that you've had a lovely holiday and that everyone is fresh and ready for an exciting time back in class.

In Maths this term, we will be looking, in depth, at numbers to 50: what they're made from, what is one more and one less from each, number words, ordering numbers up and down on number lines.

In English, we will be enjoying traditional tales and will focus on Little Red Riding Hood in particular. We will act out the story, be hot-seated as characters and will build up to writing our own version. Our writing skills will see us writing in 3<sup>rd</sup> person, in past tense, and on thinking about characters, setting, dilemmas and resolutions. Our main focus in English, will be on adding describing adjectives. At all times, we will be concentrating hard on writing all sentences by starting with a capital letter, uniformly sized letters, with finger spaces between each word and a full stop at the end. We will read our writing back to make sure it makes sense and will edit and improve as needed. A very grown-up writing skill!

Geography will see us learning all about the UK. Our home, our country, capitals and seas.

Science is about scientists and inventions and our Forest school/Design technology work is all about finding out about where our food comes from and designing, making, then planting-up food containers in our own garden, ready for the Summer.

PE is all about ball skills: controlling with hands and feet, throwing, catching and dribbling.

RE is about sacred Christian places, leading up to a visit to our local church just before Easter. We will be learning a range of Easter songs, some traditional and some contemporary.

Spellings will be sent home each Friday and tested the following week. We will track home reading (Friday to Friday) and will award those children who have signatures to say they have read at home more than 3 times in that week, with a prize from our large goody-box.

Please read the school newsletters for up-coming events. Any questions, just ask!

Ms McCulloch and Miss Baldwin