



Acorns

Term 2 - Toys

Now that we have settled into school life, we will be kick-starting the term with the topic of 'Toys', trying to answer the question '*How have toys changed over time?*'. In History, we will be thinking about what toys we like to play with and the toys our parents and grandparents may have liked to play with.

We will be exploring a variety of toys as and thinking about how they work, what materials they are made from and even making our own moving toys as part of our Science and DT lessons!

In literacy we will be looking at our favourite stories, poems, riddles and songs and seeing if we can create our very own stories and write some sentences from our very own toy adventure. When Christmas approaches we will be writing labels, lists, postcards and letters to Father Christmas and seeing if we can post some ourselves!

In maths we will continue our place value and number quest alongside, addition and subtraction as well as exploring shape and patterns.

As Christmas gets nearer, we will be practicing and performing some of our favourite Christmas carols and thinking about how the characters in the nativity may be feeling at this very busy time. We will also be linking our ideas and understanding to help answer the big question '*Why do Christians perform Nativity plays at Christmas?*' in RE.

It's going to be toy-tastic!

Please come and talk to us if you want to find out any more.

We will be in contact soon to keep you informed with any important information and also events that are coming soon.