



	TOPIC	We have been covering events, festivals and celebrations which take place during the beginning of November which have included Halloween, Bonfire Night, Remembrance Day and the season of Autumn. Christmas: As part of our Christmas topic this year we will be learning about the Christmas story and how other children celebrate Christmas around the world. Additionally, we will have a large focus on Expressive Arts.
	LITERACY coadgq; ltij; rnmhbpk; uy;wv; esfxz.	This term we will finish learning our single sounds and introduce formation of letters. We group the formation according to letters which are formed similarly. The formation groupings are shown on the left. We have started to learn tricky words (words which cannot be sounded out - the, was) and will continue to blend 3 letter words. abcdefgh jKimnoPg nstutwxyz
	NUMERACY	We will continue to learn about addition within 5. We will practise adding 0, 1 and small doubles mentally. We will also use concrete materials to extend and reinforce this knowledge. We will continue to revise working within 10 with a focus on numbers before, after and in-between. Miss Teasdale will be focussing on symmetry, patterns and fractions. These skills will be linked with art and the children's previous knowledge on shape.
	PE DAY	Miss Teasdale teaches P.E in the hall on a Thursday and, weather permitting, outside on Fridays. She will be focusing on balance, hand eye co-ordination, throwing and catching.
	OTHER INFORMATION	We will explore the stories from the Read, Write Count bag which will be sent home on Wednesday 20 th November.

Children in Need—Friday 15th November

Christmas Party—Tuesday 10th December

Christmas Concert— Monday 16th/Tuesday 17th December



Halloween Fun

