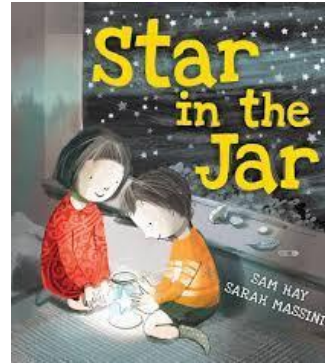


## St. Berteline's Church of England Primary School.

Dear parents and children,

This half term we will be covering the following:

- In **English** we will be focusing on 'Star in the Jar' by Sam Hay where we will be writing a finding narrative.
- We will be reading stories about stars and space as a focus for our comprehension.
- Daily phonics, spelling, punctuation and grammar will take place alongside this.
  
- Our **Maths** focus will be Number and Place Value  
Addition and Subtraction  
2D Shapes and 3D shapes  
Multiplication and Division
  
- In **Science** we will be studying 'Animals, Including Humans'.
  
- 'Christmas' in **RE**.
  
- Studying past and present in **History** following the enquiry question; 'What is History?'



Your child will also be concentrating on:

- Neat handwriting, presentation and correct use of punctuation.
- PE will take place on Monday's

Items that your child needs to have in school:

- PE Kit: shorts, T-shirt and pumps all named. Warmer P.E clothes (sweatshirt and jogging pants) are needed for outdoor PE.
- Book Bags (not backpacks), Reading Diaries and Reading Books need to be in school every day with reading diaries and reading books inside them. Remember to comment in your child's reading diary once they have read at home (let us know if this is a whole book, a number of pages or a vocabulary hunt etc...) this way your child can change their books at school. We will Check and Change your child's books every Monday, Wednesday and Friday.
- Water bottles need to be brought into school to keep your child hydrated throughout the day. Please make sure the bottles are filled with water not juice and are named.
- Homework on Google Classroom will be set every **Friday**. This will be due on the following **Tuesday**.

### Important Dates

- 15<sup>th</sup> Nov - Flu vaccinations in school
- 12<sup>th</sup> & 13<sup>th</sup> Dec - KS1 Christmas Show (both

Thank you for your continued support  
Miss Roach

**These are the main areas of learning, not the total of what will be covered.**