

# **Year 1 Weekly Bulletin**

## November 20th 2020

## What we have been doing

## **Numeracy**

This week we have been working on subtracting using objects such as cubes, and recording subtraction number sentences. At home you could practise subtraction within ten using fingers to support visual understanding.

#### Becoming ethically informed citizens and developing literacy skills

We have had a focus on Diwali this week. The children have enjoyed learning all about the Hindu celebration through role play, arts and craft and writing! They acted out the Diwali story and then rewrote the story in their own words. The children have made clay diyas and explored rangoli and mehndi patterns.

### **Home Learning**

Please see SeeSaw for next week spellings and home learning activity.

#### **Enterprise**

Next week we will be starting to design and make our Christmas products to sell towards the end of the term. The children have looked at different photographs and have decided on four products to make. The plan is that we will be making tin can candle holders, dried fruit potpourri, mini rag wreaths and chutney. If you have any items/materials at home that you can donate to help us make more of a profit please send them in ( these will be quarantined before use). Items such as: tin cans. any fruit or vegetables suitable for chutney making, empty jars, scraps of materials, ribbon, wire, pine sprigs and anything else!

## Lost property

We have a large collection of unnamed jumpers and cardigans that have not been claimed as well as few bottles and tupperware boxes. We will put these out during pick up times next week and if they are still unclaimed by Friday they will be moved to the lost property bin at the front of school. After a week these then go in the recycling.

## Notice

Please can we ask that the children are not bringing in any playing cards into school such as pokemon cards. We appreciate the children like to trade these with each other but please can they do so outside of school.

Have a lovely weekend

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