

## Literacy

During the second half of the Autumn term we will be reading 'Room on the Broom', 'The Colour Monster', and 'Dear Father Christmas'.

We shall be exploring the text, familiarising ourselves with the stories and developing our understanding of the key vocabulary.

We will be developing both communication and language skills, and literacy skills, to enable us to produce a piece of writing for each of the stories.

### **The objectives that we are working towards are:**

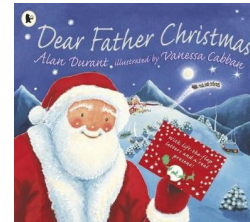
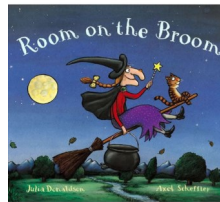
- ~ Write recognisable letters, most of which are correctly formed.
- ~ To Write simple phrases and sentences that can be read by others.

## Home Learning

Home learning will be sent home every **Monday** and is also uploaded to Google Classroom. We really encourage the use of Google classroom as there are many useful resources that can be accessed to support learning at home. Reading at home is a vital part of home learning and we encourage that this is carried out daily.

## Let's Celebrate!

**Cranford Park Academy**  
**Year Group: Reception**  
**Term: Autumn 2**



**The Park Federation**  
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## Communication and Language

Through interaction, exploration and play, we are learning to:

- ~ Listen attentively and respond to what we hear with relevant questions, comments and actions when being read to and during whole class discussions and small group interactions.
- ~ Participate in small group, class and one-to-one discussions, offering our own ideas, using recently introduced vocabulary.

## Physical Development

During our PE sessions we are learning to:

- ~ Understanding boundaries, space and basic rules/safety aspects in PE.
- ~ Developing a variety of ways to dodge away from a tagger/defender, and use these in game situations.
- ~ Understand and develop how to tag an opponent.

## Maths

During the second half of the Autumn term our topics in Maths are:

### 1,2,3 It's me

This is a continuation from Autumn 1 and we will be continuing to explore the numbers 1,2 and 3. We shall be developing our understanding of the composition of these numbers and identifying how they can be represented in different ways.

### **The objectives we are working towards are:**

- ~ Identify and represent numbers using objects and pictorial representations .

## Understanding of the World

In this half term we will be learning about some past and events that have helped lead us to where we are today. This includes Guy Fawkes and Remembrance Day.

We will then explore the natural world by learning about the season winter and hibernations. Then Finally we will learning all about the Nativity story and why Christmas is celebrated.

### **The objectives we are working towards are:**

- Know some similarities and differences between things in the past and now, drawing on their experiences and what has been read in class .
- Know some similarities and differences between different religious and cultural communities in this country, drawing on their experiences and what has been read in class.-
- Understand some important processes and changes in the natural world around them, including the seasons and changing states of matter.