

Year 1 Parent Newsletter

Autumn 1

Towers, Turrets and Treason!

KEY LEARNING FOCUS

Kings & Queens, Castles, Guy Fawkes – comparing different periods of time, comparing monarchs, looking at sources of evidence.

KEY VOCABULARY

decade, century, history, historians, timeline, memories, opinion

OUR READING

Author of the term: Judith Kerr

Two Reading Bags will be sent home every Monday to be collected back in on Friday.

Class Library Books can be changed on stay and read mornings.

More details to follow on Class Dojo

KEY DATES

STAY & READ

Every week 8:45-9:00

Tuesday

September & October

Thursday

November & December

MEDIEVAL BANQUET

Tues 21st November

CHRISTMAS SHOW

Cherry – Tue 12th Dec

Maple – Mon 11th Dec

HOME LEARNING

Learning Logs will be sent home every fortnight. There will be instructions inside the front cover and for each new task set. The first task is to decorate the cover!

MEDIEVAL BANQUET

On Tuesday 21st Nov the children will be invited to a medieval banquet! There will be dancing, dinner in the great hall and other entertainment! On this day it would be wonderful if the children could be dressed up in any type of 'castle' wear: princesses, princes, kings, queens, jesters, knights or even dragons!

LEARNING THEMES

ENGLISH – Writing a sentence.

MATHS- Place value, addition & subtraction

PSHE – Values week, relationships, responsibilities, communities, safety

HISTORY – See above left

PE – Games and Dance

RE-. Celebrations within Christianity and Judaism

MUSIC- Finding the pulse (steady beat)

D&T – Selecting and joining materials

SCIENCE- Investigation and Materials

ART- Collage

Please remember:

Wear PE kit on Thursdays

Wellies, puddle suit or waterproof trousers to be kept in school

Bring Every Day:

Filled water bottles, reading folder bag (containing reading book, reading diary, phonics folder)