



<p><u>Message from Class Teacher</u> Dear Parent/Carer, thank you for your time and support during your child's first term at school, we very much appreciate it. We are very proud of how quickly the children have settled in to school life and how they are becoming motivated to learn and face new challenges.</p>	 BADSWORTH CofE School	<p><u>Attendance</u> Last half term our attendance was 98! Our aim for 'good' attendance is 96% so we surpassed this threshold. Well, done and keep up the good work!</p>
<p><u>Communication and Language</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Talk about their favourite toys • Talk about old and new toys • Talk about celebrations; Bonfire Night, Christmas, Diwali • Listening games 	<h2>Foundation Stage Autumn 2</h2>	<p><u>Physical Development</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Use the tripod grip for writing – pick and flick • Dance unit- To combine movements fluently • Negotiate space safely with consideration for myself and others • Build and construct using large materials
<p><u>Personal, Social & Emotional Development</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Why my toy is special? • Working cooperatively together • Dressing and undressing- buttons and zips • What foods are healthy to eat? • Celebrate achievements 		<p><u>Literacy</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Learn to recognise and say the phonics sounds from level 1+ • Begin to blend and segment words • Write simple CVC words, correctly formed • Draw simple story maps • Re-tell stories through play
<p><u>Understanding the World</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Identify the materials objects are made from • Religion and Worldviews- Why do Christians perform Nativity plays at Christmas? • Local study- Badsworth village • Comparing old and new toys 	<h2>Let's Celebrate!</h2>	<p><u>Mathematics</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Exploring circles and triangles • Subitise, represent and the composition of numbers 1 to 5 • Identify and name shapes with 4 sides
<p><u>Expressive Arts & Design</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Firework pictures • Sing and perform songs and actions- Nativity • Make food for a party from malleable materials • DT- structures junk modelling 	<h2>Our value for life this half term is</h2> <h2>Kindness</h2>	<p><u>Key Dates</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • w/c 10th Nov- Anti-bullying week • 14th Nov – Dress down day – bring selection box or crackers • 17th Nov – Y1 Outdoor Learning Day • Sat 22nd Nov - Christmas fair • 9th Dec - EYFS/KS1 5:30 pm Nativity performance • 10th Dec- EYFS/KS1 9:30 am Nativity performance • 11th Dec- EYFS/KS1 Story night • 16th Dec- Christmas Jumper Day/Christmas Dinner • Thur 18th Dec- Break up for Christmas holiday • As always, more dates may follow so please read newsletters and Google Classroom.
<p><u>Key Vocabulary This Half Term</u> Today, yesterday, tomorrow, the present, the past, the future, day, week, long ago, old, new, parent, grandparent, great grandparent, who, what, where, materials, plastic, wood, metal, stone, crackle, snap, flame, leap, Nativity, Jesus, Incarnation, Wise Man.</p>		

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