



Celebration

Ladybird Class
Autumn 2015
Miss Longford



Literacy

Our Literacy this half term will be linked to our celebrations topic.

We are going to learn the history behind The Gunpowder Plot and listen to and perform Bonfire Night poetry.

We will read and act out the Traditional Tale 'The Little Red Hen' and write instructions for how to bake bread.

In the lead up to Christmas we will read the story 'Harvey Slumfenburger's Christmas Present. We will write Harvey a Christmas list and make labels for his Christmas presents.

Numeracy

In maths we will begin to understand teen numbers and tens and ones. We will revise ordinal numbers and use them in practical ways.

We will revise our number bonds to 10 and doubles and use these to add together three single digit numbers.

We are learning to recognise coins and understand their value.

We will measure using standard and non-standard forms of measurement.

Science

In science we will be continuing to learn about materials. We will be carrying out investigations to test whether they are waterproof or whether they float or sink



We will also be identifying the seasonal changes as autumn becomes winter. We will look at events that happen in winter, decide what to wear and measure the rainfall.



Computing

We will be developing our computer skills. We will be focusing on internet safety.

P.E.

In PE we will be having a professional sports coach who will teach us new team games and develop our sports skills.

Our Topic this half term is Celebrations!

Bonfire Night

We will take part in bonfire food tasting, paint firework displays and make rockets. We will learn about bonfire night safety and design posters.

Diwali

Using clay we will make Diwali tea light holders, draw Rangoli patterns and sketch temples.

Hannukah

We will design and make a menorah, draw food maps, bake bread and make a Dreidel.

Christmas

As well as practising our Christmas production, we will be making cards and decorations and going to the church to take part in the carol service.

R.E. and P.S.H.E

We will experience and find out about different celebrations from a range of religious groups.

Our SEAL topic is 'Getting On and Falling Out'.

