

# Year One

Dear Parents,

Many thanks to all those parents that have said that they can help support the children on the church trip and the library trip in December. If you have said that you are willing to help, your class teacher or TA will inform you. Many thanks.

## English

In English this week we have been using all our immersion activities from last week's exploration of Beegu to use in this week's writing tasks. We pretended to be Beegu writing a letter to a friend in space about Beegu's experience in a playground. In our writing, we remembered to use all our punctuation as well as using the first person 'I' (instead of writing Beegu). We have also started exploring the conjunction 'and' and how to use it in a sentence.

**Talking Point ...** can your child re-tell you the story of Beegu?

## Maths

In Maths, we explored repeating patterns by using shapes to create our own patterns. We have also started to look at reading and writing numbers to 20. We have identified and represented numbers using objects and pictorial representations.

## Topic

Our space topic is underway and the children are enjoying their new role-play areas and enjoying exploring this exciting topic.

In Indoor PE this term we are relating our space topic to gymnastics skills. The children are using inspiration from our topic to create intergalactic shapes with their bodies!

**Home School Diary:** Please ensure that you sign your child's diary, so that we know they have read the book and are ready for it to be changed.



## Deputy Head Teacher's Award

Lavender

Isa

Zaynab

Cornflower

Ollie

Uyen Thy

Foxglove

Charlotte

Kian

## Phonics

In phonics, we have worked on various digraph dependent on the class. These have included – qu, nk, oo, ar, or and alternative ways of reading and writing the sound ee.