

Year 1



Dear Parents and Carers,

The children have really enjoyed the skipping workshop and we have since spotted some practising their skills in playtimes! Well done to those who have brought in home made 3D castles - we have been amazed by them!

English

In English this week we have continued looking at the text *Sir Scallywag and the Golden Underpants* by Andraee. The children have written their own Sir Scallywag adventure and we have looked at incorporating the past tense, powerful verbs, adjectives, emotion words and conjunctions into their writing. We have really impressed with what they have achieved.

Phonics: This week we have recapped the /ph/ /wh/ and /ew/ sounds and have revised the tricky words says, said, Mrs and Mr

Maths

In maths this week we have continued to look at money. We have used our knowledge of the value of 1p, 2p, 5p and 10p coins to solve problems. The children showed great resilience working out how many different ways to make different amounts.

Foundation Subjects

History: In history we have continued our topic of castles. We learnt about knights and what qualities a knight needed to have. The children wrote a job advert for a knight and we discussed the knights "code of chivalry".

Science: In science this week we thought further about materials. The children learnt about waterproof and non waterproof materials; they predicted and investigated which materials would be suitable for a knight's armour.

Notices & Reminders

Any donations of boxes of tissues would be gratefully received! Thank you.

Values Award

Cornflower: Adrina & Adhvik **Foxglove:** Haris & Mathilda **Lavender:** William & Reggie-Roy

Diamond Work Award

Cornflower: Maya & Noah **Foxglove:** Caitlin & Harrison **Lavender:** Felix & Gabriella
