#### Maths

In Maths we will be continuing to learn about numbers up to 10. We will be developing our ability to subitise (say how many is in a group without counting each object) and using our knowledge of numbers to add and subtract in simple problems. We will be learning to use toolkit resources to help us solve problems and learning to justify and explain our thinking in mathematical problems. In our busy time we will be exploring capacity, 2D and 3D shapes (inc names and properties) as well as using measures in our activities.

## Topic

This half term we will be linking lots of our learning to our themes: Marvellous Me and my super celebrations! This will include learning about Christmas and the Nativity. We will be thinking about times of the year that we celebrate and how celebrations may differ in different cultures or places around the world. We will be remembering why Christmas is a special time of year to us as Christians as well as taking time to notice the wonderful world around us and how it changes over time (seasons). We will be using key texts to support this learning - The Leaf Thief, Stick Man and various Nativity themed books.

## General

Please remember to continue to send in a water bottle, bookbag and waterproof coat each day.

Forest school sessions will commence this half term, children should bring their forest school clothes in named bag on their allocated day - Wednesday = Class

1 / Thursday= Class 2

PE is Tuesday, children should have their PE kit in school at all times

We are now using the email address <u>f2@christchurch-moreton.wirral.sch.uk</u> for our correspondence.

# Christ Church (Cof E) Moreton Primary School Autumn 2 2022

Foundation Stage 2 Curriculum Newsletter

## Diary dates & events



We had a wonderful first half term together in Autumn 1 and are super excited for what's to come this half term! Below are planned activities but please note these may be subject to change if circumstances in school change for any reason. We will do our best to keep you updated with enough notice if things are required to change.

## Upcoming things to note...

#### Mystery Reader

Keep an eye out for a letter regarding how you can get involved in promoting a love of reading with your child!

#### FS2 Nativity / Christmas Performance 14.12.22 PM

Further information regarding timings, adults attending and your child's involvement will follow in due course

F2 Coffee and Catch up Thursday 15<sup>th</sup> December 9.00-9.45am

> <u>Christmas Church Services</u> Tuesday 20<sup>th</sup> December AM

Please keep a check on your emails as this is our best method of communicating important information with you under the current circumstances, thank you.

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In English we will be continuing to use our themes and texts to support our learning. We will be focusing on refining our oral blending and segmenting skills, beginning to write some sounds that we have learnt in order to convey meaning and beginning to blend sounds to read simple words. We will be developing our handwriting formations and learning to use our reading and writing to helps us in activities that are linked to our class texts such as writing speech bubbles, observation notes and letters to father Christmas!

## RE & Worship

In RE we will be learning about the Incarnation. We will be spending time each week learning about this through stories and activities as well as taking part in regular worship where we sing together and join members of our community such as Christ Church Clergy.

# Homework

For this half term we will be sending the following activities home for you to do with your child to help support their learning:

Weekly reading books - sent home on a Thursday, please read a couple of times and return on Mondays (further information will follow with your child's first book)

Weekly Little Wandle Phonics home learning sheets - these will help you to understand what your child has learnt in phonics this week so you can recap and consolidate together

Numbots - a maths app to help children develop number and calculation skills in a fun way (log ins and details to follow)

