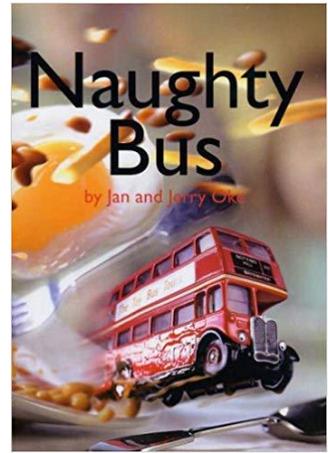


## Year 1 October 2023

This half term our topic is "The Wheels on the Bus."

In English we will be reading the story *Naughty Bus* and be using it to discover more about our school and local area this links with our *Geography* topic. If you are able to spot buses around the local area then that will give your child some context for our work this term. We will then create some work around *Autumn* linked to our *Science* work on *Seasons*. After that we will look at the story *Owl Babies* which links to our *RE* focuses of *Belonging* and *waiting*.



In *RE* this term we are finishing off our topic about *Belonging*. We will then be learning about *Judaism* as one of our *Other World Faiths*. Our final topic for this term will be 'Waiting' during *Advent*.



In *Maths* we are continuing to learn *Addition* and *Subtraction* and will begin to move onto *place*

*value* up to *twenty*. *Shape* will be our next topic this term. *Simple 2d* and *3d shape spotting* can be very helpful so that children can identify *shape* with everyday life and become familiar with *shape names* and *properties*.

A reminder that **PE is on Monday and Friday** and on those days children can still wear their polo shirt and joggers for ease when changing into kits. Children should now be wearing winter uniform therefore they will need to wear a shirt or blouse and a tie, a St Peters jumper or cardigan. School fleeces are allowed but not to be worn inside school.

A reminder to practice spellings weekly for test on Fridays. We also expect children to be reading at least 3 times a week and practising the sounds they have learnt. These can be found on the phonic sheets that come home with your child. Other homework will be set on a Tuesday to be returned the following Monday.

Dates for Diary:

17.11.23- Inset Day

24.11.23- Year 1 AOW

14.11.23- FS and KS1 Nativity at Church

21.12.23- Advent Liturgy 9:45 at Church

22.12.23- Last day of Term

Many thanks

Mrs Crowley

## Geometric Shapes

