# EYFS - Lent 1 Newsletter



Dear Parents,

Welcome back to school! We hope you had a lovely Christmas and a great start to the New Year.

## **Topics**

Our upcoming weekly topics are:

- Heroes
- Machines

As always, if there is anything you can contribute to these topics in knowledge or resources, we would be very grateful.

#### Religion

Our Lent 1 RE topics are 'Celebrating' and 'Gathering'.



#### Maths

We will be looking at the areas: Alive in 5, Mass and capacity and Growing 6,7,8.

Please support your child at home with number formation, counting, addition and subtraction.

#### Events

- Friday 24<sup>th</sup> January EYFS
   Act of Worship in the school hall at 9:15. All welcome to attend.
- Thursday 30<sup>th</sup> January St
   Thomas Aquinas Feast Day
- w/c 10<sup>th</sup> February Safer
   Internet Week

### Literacy

We will continue our daily Phonics sessions to support children's fluency. We will share and retell stories to support our communication and language skills.

Please support your child with this at home, as well as other important areas such as: sharing stories together, good pencil control, writing their name, listening to or thinking of words and writing them independently, writing the sounds they have learnt to attempt to form words and having a go at writing short sentences using their knowledge of Phonics.

### P.E.

Please continue to send your child in school joggers on a Wednesday and Friday. We are focusing on ball skills and gym.

# Clothing

Please continue to send your child every day with a cardigan/jumper, waterproof coat, hat, gloves and appropriate footwear as the weather is still very cold at times.

Please also encourage your child to get dressed independently at home, including putting on and zipping up their own coat.

Thank you all for your continued support.

Miss Duffy