

Year 1

**Mrs Lucarelli's
Weekly Newsletter.
11th November 2016**

This Week....

The children are hopefully unaware that we have been doing assessments. Assessing in Year 1 is not quite as formal as in other year groups but it is an opportunity for me to see how the children are progressing. I was very proud of them all on Monday as they independently wrote about what they have done over the holidays. They are effectively using their phonic sounds to write unfamiliar words which I am able to decode and read.

As a result of the reading assessments you may have noticed that your child has moved up a book band, or maybe even two!

We also managed to fit in some work on patterns. The children have been using shapes, blocks and counters to create repeating patterns.

Certificates and Awards

Writer of the Week

Harvey

Curriculum Certificate

Kai

Christian Value Certificate for

Trust

Lucy

Next Week...

We will be finishing off our assessments then working on our reading skills as we delve into stories about characters that live in different places.

In Maths we will begin to look at odd and even numbers.

A BIG Well Done....

to those who have been on 'outstanding' 3 or more times this week!

Faye, Ruby, Kai, Jack, Emmanuel,
Harry, Lola, Katie, Isaac J and
Faye.

Talk Topic

Creative thinking - talk about how many different uses there are for a cardboard box?