

Year 1

Mrs Lucarelli and Miss Courtney's Weekly Newsletter.

5th November 2021

Welcome Back!

It has been great to have everyone back in school this week. I hope you have all had a wonderful break, despite the rain! This week we have been busy looking at 'The Girl, the Bear and the Magic Shoes' by Julia Donaldson. We are trying to learn the story so that it can help our own story writing. If you have any stories by Julia Donaldson at home, it might be fun to read those too.

In maths we have been exploring **halves**. We looked at half of amounts and shapes and discussed how halves are **equal** parts. It might be beneficial to explore this further at home as it can be quite a tricky concept for Year 1.

Certificates and Awards

Curriculum Certificates

Willow 22.10.21 and Georgia-
Jai today

Christian Value/Certificates

Kareena 22.10.21 and
Harrison today

Celebrating Cultural Diversity

In school, we love to see or hear about the world around us. If you have visited another country or culture or if you have taken part in any celebrations or activities that might be new cultural experiences for our children, please will you send in pictures for us to look at and add to our book.

The Poppy Appeal

Children are now able to purchase items in support of the poppy appeal. Please send in money in a named envelope if your child would like to purchase any of the items.

Winter is Coming...

Please ensure all children have a warm, waterproof coat.

It is important that all items of removable clothing are clearly named so that we can reunite them with their owners where necessary!

Dates for Your Diary

15th Nov– Children can wear odd socks to celebrate diversity for Anti-bullying day.

22nd, 23rd Nov - Life Bus

2nd Dec - Panto in school

Christmas activities are coming soon. We hope to celebrate in the traditional way however, this will be COVID dependent.