



Our Topic

How have I changed over time?

This half term we will be learning about:

- \Rightarrow The human body,
- ⇒ How we have changed since being babies,
- ⇒ The Christmas story.

Reminders!

All pupils must come to school in full uniform and equipment which includes black shoes, PE kit, book bag, reading books and Home School diary every day. <u>Please note:</u>
Year 1 have PE every Thursday.

Homework.

Your child will receive homework every Thursday and must be returned to school by Tuesday each week. Homework will include:

- Maths homework—Please also check Mathletics!
- SPAG homework
- Daily Reading—Raving Readers Challenge and completion of Home School diaries

Maths

This half term we will be:

Counting to 100 and above, starting at any number.

Recognising 2D and 3D shapes.

Looking at fractions—whole, halves and quarters.

You could help your child at home by:

Counting in 2's, 5's and 10's.

Practicing counting to 100 starting from any number and back.

Look out for shapes around your environment.

Cutting food into fractions—Can you give me half?

English

This half term we will be:

Innovated stories of The Elves and the Shoemaker—Who might your new character be?

Writing seasonal poetry.

Looking at rhyme and rhythm.

You could help your child at home by:

Reading daily to help build up a bank of language.

Practice sounding out words for spelling.

Encourage your child to think of new and exciting characters.

Find examples of poems and rhyming words.

Science

This half term we will:

- ⇒ Identify, name, draw and label the parts of the human body.
- ⇒ Know which parts of the body are associated with each sense.

You could help your child at home by:

Looking at and labelling the human body.

Speaking about how to stay healthy—food and exercise.

Art and Design

This half term we will:

- ⇒ Use a range of materials creatively to design and make products.
- ⇒ Learn about the work of a range of artists, craft makers and designers.

You could help your child at home by:

Practicing mixing colours and discussing what happens when we mix colours.

Visit art galleries around Bradford and discuss the art work.

Create pictures using 2D shapes.

History

This half term we will:

⇒ Learning about changes within your living memory.

You could help your child at home by:

Looking at photographs at different points throughout your child's life.

Discuss how they have changed over time.

Give examples of how your life has changed since being young.

P.E

This half term we will:

Gymnastics:

⇒ Master basic movements, as well as developing balancing, agility and balance.

You could help your child at home by:

Practicing directions of left and right as well as North, East, South and West.

Look at moving whole and half turns.

Travelling in different ways—hopping, jumping, skipping.

