Year I- Autumn 2 Newsletter

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Our topic this term will be 'Bright Lights Big City' which will incorporate English, Science, Geography, Music as well as DT, RE and Computing.

English

The focus will be for children to write letters, questions, and instructions using the expected punctuation of a year I child. This includes practising a sentence aloud and writing it using capital letters, finger spaces, conjunctions, adjectives and the correct punctuation at the end of a sentence. One of our class texts will be Paddington. Children will also have daily phonics session to develop their decoding skills for reading, please ensure your child brings their bookbag into school daily.

<u>Maths</u>

For maths, we will be continuing our learning with a focus on addition and subtraction within 10. After this, we will move onto a geometry unit where we learn all about 2d and 3d shapes.

<u>RE</u>

For Religious Education this half term, we will be focusing on learning about Christianity.

Science

Exploring and investigating everyday materials is our Science unit for this half term. The children will earn how to distinguish between an object and the material from which it is made. They also learn how to identify and name a variety of everyday materials, including wood, plastic, glass, metal, water and rock.

Geography

This topic teaches children about the physical and human characteristics of the United Kingdom, including a detailed exploration of the characteristics and features of the capital city, London.

DIARY DATES

- Afternoon Tea Friday 4th November
- Individual and sibling photos Wednesday 9th November
 - Parent consultations Tuesday 15th November
 - FOB Christmas Markey Friday 9th December
 - KSI Nativity Wednesday 14th December
 - <u>Last day of school Tuesday 20th December</u>

DT

During our DT lessons the children will be making their own moving London taxi. They will be exploring chassis and axils and evaluating their products. Please could we ask you to save and send in any small cardboard boxesideally the size of a tea bag box. Thank you

