




# KS1 LEARNING NEWS

Monday 7<sup>th</sup> November – Friday 11<sup>th</sup> November  
2016

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**Dates for your diary :** Parents' evenings 29-30<sup>th</sup> November and 1<sup>st</sup> December  
Christmas Fair 2<sup>nd</sup> December  
Cinderella @ Newbury Corn Exchange 6<sup>th</sup> December

## Year 1

**We have been...**

### **English**

- Reading and writing (RWI – phonics & literacy).
- Learning the “Whatever Next” story.
- Writing sentences.

### **Maths**

- Counting accurately.
- Exploring place value – 2 digit numbers.

### **History**

- Learning about the Gunpowder Plot of 1605.

### **Art**

- Making poppies.
- Drawing and making constellations.

### **Science**

- Exploring space in the pop-up planetarium.

## Year 2

**We have been...**

### **English**

- Learning about non-chronological reports.
- Researching facts about hedgehogs.

### **Maths**

- Exploring place value – 2 digit and 3 digit numbers.
- Reading and writing number names.

### **History**

- Learning about the Gunpowder Plot of 1605.

### **Science**

- Exploring space in the pop-up planetarium.
- Drawing constellations.

This week we were very excited to visit the planetarium in the hall. It was very dark and we enjoyed learning about the different constellations.

### **Next week we are planning to...**

**Year 1 :** Retell the story of the Gunpowder Plot, name and describe 2D shapes and create firework pictures.

**Year 2 :** Continue writing non-chronological reports, retell the story of the Gunpowder Plot, solve addition problems and create firework pictures.

### **Reminders**

- **PE** - as the weather get colder, please provide tracksuit bottoms and jackets in PE kits. We continue to have PE outside in all weathers.
- It makes a huge difference to your child's **reading** progress if you can spend a few minutes each day sharing their reading books. Please remember to sign your child's reading record each time they read with you.