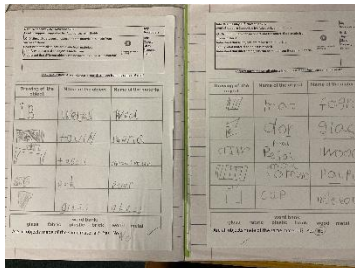
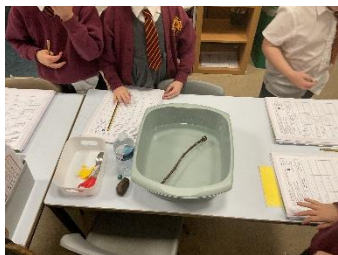
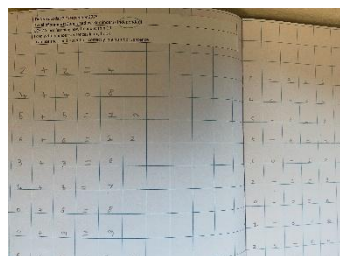




Year 1 News

5th December 2025



What we've been learning recently

English – Stick Man is our class text for the last few weeks of term and we have enjoyed reading it very much. We have been exploring instructions, discussing where we have seen them and what they are for. We learnt about bossy (imperative) verbs and time words so that we can write our own set of instructions for “How to make a Stick Man”.

Maths – We are using the last few weeks of term to practice and consolidate our previous learning. We spent time practicing writing addition and subtraction number sentences, using the squares in our books and making sure they were well presented. We also practiced counting forwards and backwards using a number line.

Wider Curriculum – We have been learning about materials and their properties in science. Firstly, we identified a range of materials and discussed their properties, e.g. glass is transparent, metal is rigid and fabric is bendy. Then we explored what materials objects in and outside of the classroom are made of. We discussed materials are natural and which are manmade and conducted an experiment to see which materials could float and which would sink.

Over the next fortnight we will be...

- We will be using our instructions to make Stick Man.
- Practicing and performing our Christmas play – we are very excited to share it with you!
- Taking part in the Santa Fun Run on Wednesday 10th December.
- Finishing our learning about materials.

Important Notices

KS1 Nativity performance to parents – Wednesday 17th December 9:30am and 2pm. Please see email for tickets.

Christmas Fun Run – Wednesday 10th December. Children can come to school wearing a Christmas jumper with their school uniform.

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Shining Stars

Congratulations to our Shining Stars from the last two weeks for demonstrating our school values.

1B – Scarlett, Connie, Hopanda, Ivar

1W – Frankie, Harley, Brodie, David