

### Things I need to remember:

Reading books can be changed every day,  
or when you are ready for it to be changed...  
Just pop them in the labelled tray in the classroom.  
**Children who read to someone at home 3 times per week  
will earn 3 castle coins.**

Monday	Book bag with reading book and reading record <b>Yoga - PE kit including trainers or plimsolls.</b>
Tuesday	Book bag with reading book and reading record
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Thursday	Book bag with reading book and reading record
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### Class dates to remember

Barnaby Bear visits Matlock Park – date to be confirmed.  
The children will take Barnaby to the park. This trip will be  
during the school day. Please look out for more details to follow.

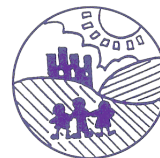
### Homework

	Given:	Returned the following:
Monday	<b>New Spellings</b>	Monday (for test)
Tuesday		
Wednesday		
Thursday		
Friday		

Please note additional homework linked to topic  
may be given, just because the  
children want it!

PLEASE SAVE CARDBOARD BOXES (E.G. CEREAL BOXES FOR OUR  
D&T PROJECT, AND BRING THEM IN TO THE CLASSROOM.  
THANK YOU!

Autumn 1  
Issue



Learners for life...

# Castle View Primary Wherever Next?



Where in the world is  
Barnaby Bear?

## Class: Little Stars

Teacher: Mrs Eason

Teaching Assistants: Mrs Haywood

## We are learning:

### **Literacy** (*Reading and Writing*)

**Phonics** – the children are split into groups to practise their phonemes and use them in their reading and writing.

**Labels:** We will be labelling the parts of Barnaby Bear and the items in his suitcase. This links to our Science work of labelling parts of the human body.

**Lists:** We will be writing lists to help Barnaby Bear pack his suitcase.

**Captions:** We will write captions to match Barnaby Bear's holiday photos.

**Postcards:** We will read postcards from Barnaby Bear, and pretend we are Barnaby Bear on holiday writing postcards.

### **PSED** (*Personal, Social and emotional Development*)

We will be establishing class rules, and settling in to our rules, routines and expectations of being a Year 1. We will talk about what kinds of things we have to do to earn Castle Coins; (Learners for Life). We will talk about Barnaby's travels and help him by making him new luggage bags and labels.

**Our Learning is around the topic...Where is Barnaby Bear?**

**Our topic will end with:**

Making our own suitcases for Barnaby Bear

### **Expressive Arts and Design** (*Art, D&T and Music*)

We will be painting seascapes to look like the images we see of the beautiful seaside views on Barnaby Bear's postcards.

We will look at the nets of boxes, and remake disassembled boxes to produce new luggage bags for Barnaby.

### **Mathematics**

We will be practising our place value with numbers to 10, then 20, moving on to addition and subtraction.

We will be learning about the properties of 2D shapes, and how to recognise and name them in different orientations and sizes.

We will be solving addition and subtraction problems using the '+', '-' and '=' signs.

We will be learning how to measure lengths and heights and begin recording these.

### **Communication and**

### **Language** (*Speaking and Listening*)

Each child will have a perfect partner who they will talk to during discussions, problem solving and reasoning activities, and to share their ideas with before they feed back to the class.

### **Physical Development** (PE)

We will be having weekly yoga lessons with an external yoga teacher, Jane Collins. In PE, we will be learning to balance on the balance equipment, and practise moving with more control and balance. We will practise stopping and starting, and changing directions.

### **Understanding of the World**

(History, Geography, RE, ICT)

Through tracking Barnaby Bear's travels through his postcards we will be learning about the 4 countries in the UK (England, Northern Ireland, Scotland and Wales) and their four capital cities (London, Belfast, Edinburgh and Cardiff) and some of the features of these places.

We will type luggage labels out on the computers in the ICT suite practising to write our full names on the keyboard.