



# Year 1 News Friday 13<sup>th</sup> October 2023

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## Notice board:

### Show and Tell sessions

There will be no show and tell session next week as we will be preparing for our end of topic celebration.

### End of Topic Celebration

Please save the date and join us for our end of topic celebration for The Enchanted Woodland on Thursday 19<sup>th</sup> October 2023 at 2:30 - 3:00pm.

During our end of topic celebration, you will have the opportunity to be involved in arts and crafts with the children. They will be making their fairy doors and using clay to make bog art. Please be aware due to limited space in classrooms we ask only one adult to attend from each family.

### Parents Evening

Parents evening will take place on Tuesday 17<sup>th</sup> and Thursday 19<sup>th</sup> October. We look forward to seeing you all.

### Jumpers, cardigans and coats

As the weather is now turning autumnal, can we please ask that you name all jumpers, cardigans and coats? This helps us ensure they return home to you.

## Maths

In Maths next week we will continue to look at subtraction of a number and how we can use the part whole models to support this. They will also begin to explore subtraction through stories where one part is unknown.

## English/Topic

Next week the children will be having English lessons within their class. They will have the opportunity to explore and act out the story of the Gruffalo. They will also be thinking about what the characters might be saying a write speech bubbles to match this.

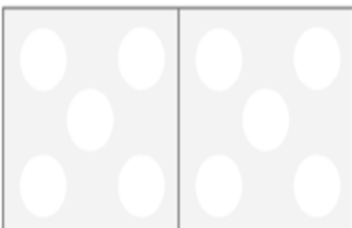
## Home Learning

**Talk Task:** Please can you talk to your child about the Gruffalo story. Can they think of any interesting words to describe the gruffalo? Can they think about what the different characters might be saying?

**English Word:** Character

**Topic:** Autumn

**Maths Task:** Can your child pick a number between 6 and 9. Can they then you the frame below to help them complete the stem sentence.



\_\_\_\_\_ is made of 5 and \_\_\_\_\_ ;  
5 and \_\_\_\_\_ make \_\_\_\_\_ .

**Reading Task:** Please ensure you read with your child every night and record this in their reading record.

**RWI:** Here are the links for 'Special Friends' 'oy' and 'ay'.