Dear Parents and Carers,

We hope you have had a wonderful Christmas and a Happy New Year! We are looking forward to lots of learning opportunities for the children this term exploring traditional and fairy tales.



<u>P.E.</u> will take place on <u>Monday's</u> and <u>Friday's</u>, Please ensure your child has a named P.E. kit with them all week as there may be opportunities for additional physical activities.

Homework

Homework is set on Friday and collected every Wednesday. It will alternate weekly between Maths and English. Reading every day is also vitally important!

Times Tables

Please continue to practise times tables with your child. The more children practice, the easier they become, so please continue to practice the 2, 5 and 10 times tables. We will also be learning 3, 4, and 6 times tables.

Dates for your Diary

 $\underline{\textbf{Friday 1st February 2019}}$ - Beauty and the Beast Show (Mayflower Theatre, Southampton).

 $\underline{\text{Friday 15th February 2019}}$ - 'Be Our Guest' Themed Ball - Parents invited.

Friday 15th February 2019 - Last day of term.

Monday 18th-Friday 22nd February 2019 - Half Term.

Thank you,

The Year 1 Team.



Nine Acres Primary School Spring Term 1 2019

Year 1 Team











Parent Information Leaflet

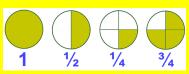


Year 1 - Spring Term 1 2019 - Fairy and Traditional Tales.

Mathematics

How do we use numbers in our world? We will be counting in 2's, 5's and 10's from any given number. We will be breaking numbers apart and putting them back together again! How many tens and one's can we spot?

We also need to be pattern spotters when working on multiplication. What happens when we multiply? What happen when we break up numbers and find a fraction? We will find out this term.





English

This half term we will be focusing on fairy and traditional tales changing into wonderful fairy tale characters, we will be holding our very own 'Be Our Guest' themed ball where children can dress up in their best clothes and enjoy a party like a prince and princess!

We have also been given the fantastic opportunity to visit the Mayflower Theatre to take part in an interactive Beauty and the Beast



Show. This will really give the children a deeper understanding of the story and the characters which will feed their imagination so they can produce their own fairy tale writing.

Science

In science we will be turning into budding gardeners and choosing plants to grow in our classroom. We will be carefully looking at

Plants and using our gardens and field to observe, name, draw and compare the flowers and trees we find growing.



Religious Education

RE this term will include looking at Passover and Remembering. Is there anything similar in our own celebrations?



Other Curriculum Areas

PSHE — Being independent is so important in everyday life. How can we show this in our own lives? We will be sharing this with each other for some ideas and tips!

Computing — How does the internet know everything! We will be trying to find interesting facts to help us with our work by using search engines, such as Google.