

YEAR ONE  
*Newsletter*

**For the week of: 7<sup>th</sup> March 2022**

**English**

In SPag this week, the children learnt the plural form of nouns ending in 'ch' and 'sh'. They practised adding -es to these nouns.

During the rest of the week we have been looking at the final parts of our non-fiction learning about Castles. We looked at what a Knight does and wears. We then looked at other jobs in a castle such as a servant, priest, cook and jester.

**Maths**

The children revisited what they had previously learnt in shapes and measures this week – length/ height; mass/ capacity and 2D/ 3D shapes. They solved problems based on these strands.

Later in the week we furthered our learning on place value within 50. We were identifying one more and one less and then have been comparing amounts by counting the tens and counting on the ones.

**Science**

In science lesson this week, we studied a wide variety of garden plants and wild plants. We learnt that wild plants that grow in places we don't want them to, are called weeds. The children then identified some common plants and illustrated them in their books.

**Other**

We were very excited to discover that our bean seeds have germinated and the shoots are beginning to appear this week! We will observe their growth in the next few weeks. Next week we are lucky enough to have a cricket session with a local cricket coach. This will be on Friday 18<sup>th</sup> – therefore there will not be PE on Thursday. Please can the children come in on Friday in their PE kits instead!

**Dates**

**Friday 18<sup>th</sup> March – Cricket Session**

**Friday 25<sup>th</sup> March – Woodland Learning**

**Wednesday 30<sup>th</sup> March – Castle Day**

**Thurs 28<sup>th</sup> April – Bodium Castle Trip**

## Stars of the Week and Bright Sparks



Congratulations to Niamh and Annabelle for being our Stars of the Week and to Ollie for being our Bright Spark.

## Show and Tell

This term we will be doing show and tell on Wednesday. Each colour group will have a turn where they can bring one thing from home that they'd like to share with the class. It could be a photo of a pet, previous holiday, favourite toy, something special to them or a recent drawing. Here are the following dates and colour groups for this term:

Blue – Wednesday 16<sup>th</sup> March

Green – Wednesday 23<sup>rd</sup> March

## This Weeks Spellings

### Challenge

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### All children

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