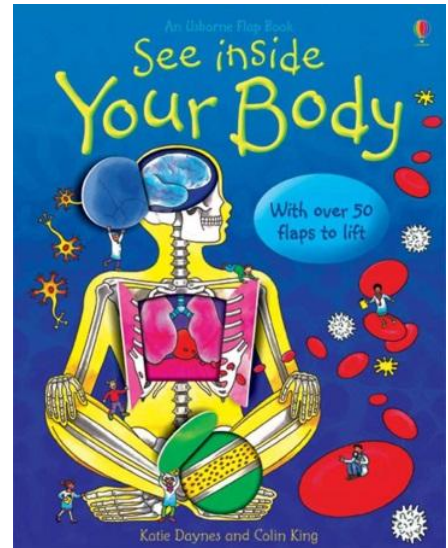
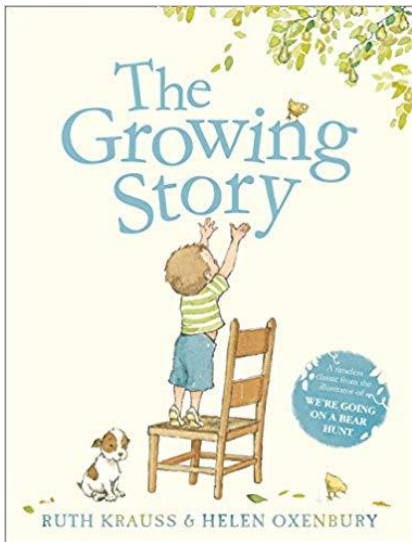





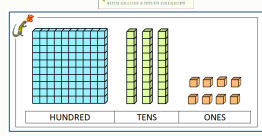








'Heads, Shoulders, Knees and Toes'
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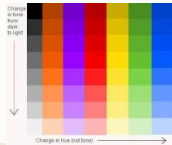

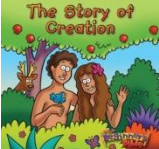


Dear Parents,

Welcome back, we hope everybody had a great summer holiday! Our new topic will be 'Heads, Shoulders, Knees and Toes'. We will be learning about our bodies, how we grow and understanding healthy lifestyles. Alongside this we will be learning about our own life histories and sharing the histories then our families.

Some of the key texts we will be using for our learning are:



Literacy	Adjectives and description	Repetition and alliteration	Fiction texts
			
Maths	Number  e value	Additio  ntraction	Multiplication 
Science	Animals 	Survival 	Exercise and diet 
History	My personal history 	Events in my local area 	Events in my lifetime 

Music	Tambourine 	Drumming 	Glockenspiel 
ICT	E-Safety 		Grouping and sorting 
PSHE		Being me in the world 	
Art	Mark making 	Tones 	Illustrations 
RE	Creation story 		What is God like? 

Home Learning

Reading	<p>Please read with your child at least three times a week, even if it is just for 5 minutes. When reading with your child, please acknowledge the fact that the book has been read by signing and dating in the reading record book.</p> <p>During reading sessions, please discuss the story with your child and ask them questions about what they are reading. These questions will help to develop their understanding of what they are reading as comprehension and discussion are key reading skills in Year 1 and 2.</p>
Spellings	<p>Spellings will be given out every Friday- please practise these words with your child at home in their spelling folder. These will then be tested on a Friday in school and their scores will be recorded.</p>
Maths	<p>Please can children continue to learn their times tables at home.</p> <p>Year 1 children should be learning 10x, 2x and 5x tables</p> <p>When secure with the 2x, 5x and 10x tables, children should be moving onto 3x and 4x tables</p> <p>We will be using Timestable Rockstar to help learn our tables. More information about maths will follow this term.</p> <p>MyMaths can be used at home for the children to explore and practise skills from class work whenever they choose- please look out for more information on this which will be sent home in their book bags.</p>

Useful Websites to support learning

<https://www.dkfindout.com/uk/human-body/>
<https://kidshealth.org/en/kids/htbw/>
<http://www.sciencekids.co.nz/humanbody.html>

Reminders

- Please can you make sure your child brings in a **water bottle** and their **book bag** each day.
- Can the children please always have a **coat** in school as the weather can be unpredictable and we will be using our new outdoor classroom throughout the day!
- Our PE days are **Tuesdays** and **Fridays** but PE kits should be in all week.

Key Questions

- 1) Can you find out about how you have changed since being a baby?
- 2) Can you name some of the parts of your body, e.g head?
- 3) Can you find out about my significant event in the past?

Please do not hesitate to come and speak to us if you have any questions,
Thank you for your support,

Mrs Mackarness and Mrs Hill