

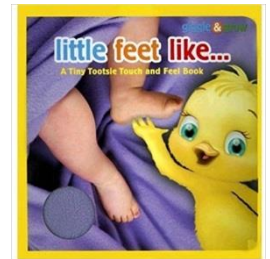
September 2017 - Autumn 1

Dear Parents and Carers,



We hope you've had a lovely summer holiday. Welcome back to class 1 to those of you we already know and welcome to our new friends. This half term we are settling into class 1 and getting to know each other.

We are planning a busy half term with three mini topics. Firstly we are going to have a great time learning about our topic **I can Touch**. We are going to use our hands and feet to touch and play in the sand, water, shaving foam and paint. Our class song is '**This is the way we touch...**'



Our class story is '**Little Feet like...**'
This has lots of different things to touch with our feet.

Our second topic is going to be about **Autumn**. We will still be using our hands and feet to touch Autumn leaves, pine cones and conkers. We will be using our hands to make pictures with Autumn colours.



We will also be celebrating **Diwali**, the Hindu Festival of Light, with a week of fun activities. We will be exploring fabrics and dressing up, listening and dancing to music, and smelling and tasting Asian foods. We will end the week with a party for children, parents and staff (date and time to follow).



Home Learning Ideas:

Go on a multi-sensory Autumn Walk - listen to the sounds of the wind blowing the leaves off the trees, listen to the crunch of the leaves under feet and buggy wheels, watch the leaves falling off the trees, collect some leaves and conkers and feel them with hands and feet. Let us know how much you enjoy your Autumn Walk.

Many thanks, Class 1 Team

