

FAIRLANDS PRIMARY SCHOOL & NURSERY

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Year 1 Autumn Term 2010

Over the next few weeks, your child will be working on the topic of Toys and Games!

They will be taking part in a series of exciting activities, including:

- Working in a "Toy Factory"
- Visiting The Cherry Class Toy Museum
- Taking part in a workshop about toys from the past during a visit from Hitchin museum
- Designing and making a toy
- Making simple electric circuits to light up the eyes of a toy robot
- Looking at what toys are made from
- Finding out about how different toys work

Your child needs your help and involvement! Please get involved by:

Take your child to the library & get a book about the topic	
Ask an older person about the toys they had as a child	
Discus what toys are made from, and how they work, with your child	
Borrow games from our fantastic games library and play them with your	
child.	
Discuss their favourite toys and games with them.	

What does your child know about Toys?

Before the Topic		
After the Topic		

Sit down with your child and help them record what they know about the topics, BEFORE and then AFTER they have learnt about it at school.

What else is happening?

Religious Education

Celebrations

SEAL Time

Each half-term, we focus on a particular aspect of Social & Emotional Aspects of Learning (S.E.A.L).

This half-term, we will be looking at the theme of Say no to Bullying and Going for Goals

Homework

Please support your child by making sure that they read on a daily basis.

THURSDAY	Reading Reading Reading and Spellings
WEDNESDAY	Reading
TUESDAY	Reading
MONDAY	Reading

Clubs

Breakfast Club	Every Morning 8.00am – 8.50am
Cheerleading Club	Wednesday 3.30 - 4.30pm (from 17th Nov)
Gymnastics Club	Thursday 3.30 - 4.30pm
Games Library	Friday 845am – 9.10am

Forthcoming Events

Supporting your child with early reading	T.B.A
and Phonics	
Anti-bullying Week	1 st November
Visit from Hitchen Museum	Monday 8th November
Spotty Children in Need Day	Friday 19 th November
Christmas Post Box Starts	29 th November
Fof Christmas Craft Fayre	Friday, 3 rd December
Christmas Celebration	Wednesday, 15 th December
End of Term	Friday, 17 th December