# Time Machine

Climb aboard the time machine for an exciting ride through history. Some of the activities you will experience are...

Today

#### History

What were homes like in the 1930's? What were they like in Victorian times?

How are they different to modern homes?

Victorian

Science

How are the seasons different to each other?

How does the amount of daylight change through the year?

Year 1 are stepping back in time to find out what life was like in the past!





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## English

We will be learning to write instructions. At home could you look at instructions, e.g. recipes or instructions for games or models. Why not try some baking? We will be making jam sandwiches and creating Christmas decorations and then writing about how we made them.

We will be focussing on writing time words. Please can you practice spelling these words: first, next, then, after that, finally.

#### Homework

- Read with you child at least four times a week.
- Practice the sounds or spellings your child brings home.
- You could write about how to play a favourite game e.g. Hide and Seek.

### Maths

For our measures work we will be learning about weight and using the correct maths language such as heaviest, lightest, heavier and lighter than to compare objects. We will also be learning to talk about money and all the different coins we use.

For our number work we will be counting forwards and backward to at least 50. We will also be thinking about number patterns and trying to explain how we know which number is the biggest or smallest and putting them in the correct order e.g. 2 4 3 or 7 3 5.

#### Homework

- Practise writing your numbers and counting forwards and backwards to 50.
- Sort coins into groups e.g. 1ps, 2ps and roleplay going to the shops and paying for items.
- Keep practising saying the days of the week and talking about what happens in your week.

# **Topic Homework**

Find out about the birth of Jesus and make a nativity scene.

Use the internet to find a recipe for Diwali sweets and ask an adult to help you make them.

Talk to parents and grandparents about how homes have changed in their lifetime. Draw pictures or write about what you have discovered.

## **Dates to remember!**

Friday 17th November

Children in Need, non-uniform day.

Tuesday 21st November

Year 1 Assembly 2:45pm

Wednesday 22nd November

Author visit; Sue Hendra.

Wednesday 29th November

Milestones Trip