

Horn Park Primary School

# Millennium & Sycamore

AUTUMN NEWSLETTER 2



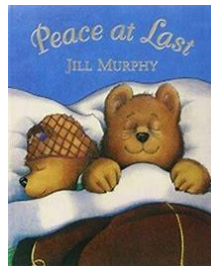
## Welcome Back

Welcome back everyone! We hope you had a lovely half term break and enjoyed some half term activities.

Please remember, if you have any questions, please do let a member of staff know so we can do whatever we can to support you. Thanks all, Mrs Akehurst and Miss Wickes.

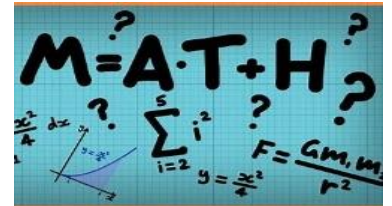
## ENGLISH

In English this half term, Sycamores will be focusing on the theme of day and night. We will be reading and exploring Owl Babies and Peace at Last. We will be learning about how the characters feel throughout the stories and thinking about our feelings too. Millennium will be focusing on punctuation and grammar using apostrophes, commas, question marks and exclamation marks. We will also be concentrating on improving our handwriting. The children will have the opportunity to join in with 'dough disco' daily to support them with their handwriting.



## MATHS

Our maths learning this half term in Sycamore will be focused on number. We will be looking at number lines and using them to find one more and one less of a given number. We will also be learning to recognise coins and their value. Millennium will be focusing on subtraction this term. This will move us on to comparing addition and subtraction facts. We will also be looking at fractions and percentages.



## SCIENCE

In science, we will continue to explore different materials and their properties. We believe in hands on science, so the children will be completing lots of fun activities. We will compare and group materials together, according to whether they are solids, liquids, or gases. We will observe that some materials change state when they are heated or cooled, and we will record the change of temperature.



## GEOGRAPHY

This term we will be looking closely at maps and looking at the location of London and comparing this to the rest of the UK. The children will have the opportunity to create their own map!



## SENSORY CIRCUIT

Every day at 9.30