RE

- This week we have celebrated Epiphany by thinking about the gifts we could give Jesus this year.
- We have begun our new topic focusing on the books of the Bible.
- Next week, we will be looking at the Old and New Testaments before beginning our focus on the Gospel writers.

Vocabulary: Epiphany, gold, frankincense, myrrh, Old Testament, New Testament, Sacred

English

- We have been reading 'Dragon Post'.
- The children have written a text message to a friend about finding a dragon in their house using the past tense.
- Next week, we will be looking at using a range of conjunctions in letter writing.

Vocabulary: informal, past tense, verb, expanded noun phrase.

Maths

- Lisbon: This week we have started our topic on measurement by looking at different methods of measuring height, weight, and capacity.
- Next week we will be classifying data.
- Padua: This week we have been looking at adding and subtracting multiples of 10 and sequencing and estimating on a number line.
- Next week we will be adding and subtracting 2 2-digit numbers.

Vocabulary: measurement, capacity, volume, length, centimetre, litre, gram, millilitre.

<u>Science</u>

- This week we have begun our new topic focusing on materials.
- The children have classified a range of different materials by their properties.
- Next week we will be thinking about which material is most suitable for a pair of tights.

Vocabulary: material, property, hard, soft, smooth, rough.

Extra information:

- Please make sure all children have plimsolls in school.
- Reading books are given out on **Fridays** to be returned the following **Thursday**.
- Library books are changed on **Tuesdays** for all KS1 classes.
- PE days are **Tuesdays and Wednesdays** for Lisbon and **Tuesdays and Fridays** for Padua.
- We are running low on spare red socks and tights, if you have any you no longer need, please send them into school.
- Please make sure children are wearing no jewellery to school.

Thank you for your continued support,

Bella, Eleay and Laura