RE

- In R.E this week we have begun our new topic of Prophecy and Promise.
- We have looked at the Prophets Zechariah and John the Baptist and recognised why they were important in preparing people for the coming of Jesus.
- Next week, we will be looking at the Annunciation.

Vocabulary: Prophet, Messiah, Zechariah, Elizabeth, Jesus, Angel Gabriel

English

- We have explored poetry this week, we have written two different list poems. One focused on autumn and one based on what we have been doing lately.
- We explored expanded noun phrases and past tense.
- Next week, we will be looking at narrative writing focusing on a book 'Last street on market street'.

Vocabulary: poetry, adjectives, past tense, expanded noun phrases.

<u>Maths</u>

- This week we have continued our topic of Addition and Subtraction by using our number bonds to add and subtract two two-digit numbers.
- The children have recapped their number bonds to 10 and 100 and used these to make 100 in a variety of ways using addition and subtraction.
- Next week, we will be focusing on doubles and near doubles and finding the nearest 10.

Vocabulary: digit, addend, equals, subtrahend, minuend, difference, number bond.

Science

- Our Science topic this half term is Microhabitats.
- The children have discovered what a microhabitat is and have created a classification key to group different minibeasts.
- Next week, we will be creating a wormery to observe over time.

Vocabulary: Microhabitat, minibeast, classification, invertebrate, grouping.

Extra information:

- Please ensure children have plimsolls in school.
- Children should not be wearing any jewellery including rosaries in school.
- The trim trail is **not** to be used before or after school.
- Tuesday 18th November 4.30pm-7pm and Wednesday 19th November 3.50pm-6.30pm are our Parents Evening Consultations, please make an appointment to see your child's teacher via schoolcloud.
- Friday 21st November and Monday 24th November school is closed for INSET day.
- Please continue to use our donation boxes to donate to Watford Food Bank.
- We would be grateful for any donations of tissues.

Have a lovely weekend, Bella and Megan 😊

