



Green Class Half Termly Newsletter Autumn 1



English: In English we will be reading 'The Naught bus', 'Don't let the pigeon drive', 'Oi frog!' and 'On the way'. We will be writing our own adventures, a persuasive letter in different character roles, poetry as linking our learning in geography to help us to write an information text.

Maths: In Maths we will be looking at place value, we will then move on to addition and subtraction. For more detailed information, see our website: <https://www.stannesroyton.oldham.sch.uk/wp-content/uploads/2020/01/National-Curriculum-Progression-Primary.pdf>

RE: This half term we will be learning about why Jesus was special. We will explore Bible stories that reveal Jesus' power and divine nature. We will discuss how and why Jesus was special.

Geography: In Geography we will be learning about our local area. We will look at where we can go by bus. Children will compare human and physical features of urban and rural areas.

Key Information: PE lessons are every **Wednesday** afternoon and full kits should be in school for these lessons. To see what we will be learning about in class this year and other information such as PE kits etc, please visit our school website <http://www.stannesroyton.oldham.sch.uk/> and navigate towards the ---Class tab. Newsletters are also archived here. There is also a calendar of events on the website. If you do not have internet access or cannot use this website for any reason, then please come and see me.

Topic:

What will I see on a bus journey around Oldham?



DT: This half term the children will be learning about the use of mechanisms. We will complete research about how mechanisms work, we will then use our new learning to support making our own buses.

PE: This unit is a creative unit. The children will focus on coordination and counter balance. Children will learn to link movements together.

Homework: Homework will be set every **Friday** and must be returned the following **Thursday**. This includes reading books which need to be returned to be changed. Children need to read their books and fill out their reading records. We encourage all parents to listen to their child read and to also sign the reading record to confirm the book has been read. The children will have their homework and reading book in their homework folders on Thursday.

PSHE: Feelings — Children will practice being able to recognise different emotions and to identify strategies to cope with them.

Computing: The computing unit for this half term is focused around how we use technology and how to use the internet safely.

Music: The children will be working on the unit 'Hey you'. They will be learning to listen to and appraise a range of songs from a variety of artists.

Science: In Science our unit is animals including humans. This half term we will focus on animals. Children will learn about the classification of animals as well as the diets of different animals.