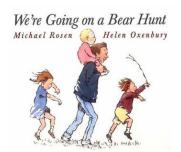


## News From Mars Class

Friday 6<sup>th</sup> November 2015

It has been a very busy first week back! The children have all got back into the routine of things and have really impressed us with their learning and their attitude to work! Year 1 have been sharing lots of excellent ideas in class and have worked hard this week in all lessons, well done! Reception have been working incredibly hard in phonics, especially their keyword practise!

In literacy we have been using the story 'Bear Hunt' as a focus for our writing. We have been creating story maps, captions, and, even using the connective 'because'. In science we have re-capped our learning on everyday materials and some properties of them.



In maths the children have been exploring fractions. They have been identifying halves and quarters in both shape and number. Reception also had a go at cutting some shapes in half!

This week we have had a small world farm set up – the children have really engaged with this and have come out with some fantastic vocabulary.



We also had a very special visit from Pudsey Bear!

## **Notices**

PE will now take place on a Monday and Thursday. Please make sure PE kits are in on those days. It may also be helpful if girls are not in tights on those days.

Remember the school disco is next Friday!

Best wishes,

Miss Blackburn & Mrs Norman