

Year 1 - Jays

Date 11 th September 2026	This week we have been learning about...
English	<u>Ruby's Worry, Phonics, reading and handwriting</u> * Exploring what we can find out from illustrations. * Writing about how Ruby is feeling * Reviewing the phonemes we learned during Wrens through reading and writing. * Reading together as a class and individually. * Finding out about the most important letter for handwriting (C- curly caterpillar) and practising writing this in lower and upper case. * Practising matching capital and lowercase letters.
Maths	<u>Place Value within 10</u> * Sorting objects using various criteria. * Counting objects carefully. * Understanding how to represent objects.
Other curriculum areas	Art - Reviewing primary colours. PSHE - We have done lots of PE these two weeks. Exploring our new classroom and our feelings. PE - Running, throwing and catching. RE - Exploring images of the Lost Son. Geography - What is Barham like? Science - What is the weather like in autumn? DT- Exploring stable structures.
Other information and reminders	* PE kit will be needed on Mondays and Thursdays this term. Children also need to bring swimming kit on Thursdays. *It was lovely to meet some of you on Tuesday. If you missed it, don't worry, I have put up a letter on seesaw of everything we covered. *Next Monday is individual and sibling photos *Next Wednesday we have Ian from KiC in. He is doing a drama workshop about seasons. * <u>Termly Challenge</u> What can you find out about Barham? We would be particularly fascinated to hear of any family history within the village or see photos (this can include the child's own history!) Or maybe you could tell us about the features found in the village or draw a map of your route to school. There will also a Seesaw challenge, asking children to talk to parents and grandparents about homes when they were young.