## Year 1 - Jays

Date: 8 <sup>th</sup> March 2024	This week we have been learning about
English	The Last Wolf by Mini Grey, Phonics, reading and handwriting * Making links between stories and characters we know in a woodland setting. * Exploring how traditional tales change over years of retelling, using Now Press Play. * Making predictions about what characters might be thinking or feeling. * Acting as magpies for fascinating vocabulary to describe a walk in a spooky wood. * Responding to and creating illustrations. * We also had a lovely day celebrating stories and hunting for characters on the village green on World Book Day. The children also enjoed a story with Mrs Shilling from year 5.1 hope the children have enjoyed the books and bookmarks donated by Adam Taylor and are able to buy a second book to love with their voucher this weekend. * Practising our handwriting when spelling the Harder to Read and Spell (HRS) words do, little, one, children and love. * Learning the alternative spellings for the following sounds: /air/ - are as in share, ere as in where and ear as in bear /ch/ - tch as in latch
Maths	<ul> <li>Place Value within 50</li> <li>* PUMA maths assessment.</li> <li>* Practising writing and representing 2 digit numbers with dienes and drawings.</li> <li>* Partitioning into tens and ones.</li> <li>* Exploring the number line to 50.</li> </ul>
Other curriculum areas	<ul> <li>Science - Reviewing what we have learnt about plants.</li> <li>PE - Tag rugby with the coaches and practising using a putter for Tri-golf. No yoga this week due to inter-house music.</li> <li>RE - How do Christians feel about the main events of the Bible story of Holy week and Easter?</li> <li>DT - Finishing and evaluating our sewing work</li> <li>Geography - Can we map our classroom?</li> <li>Art - To use observation to create a painting</li> <li>PSHE - How do I keep myself clean and healthy?</li> <li>Music - Enjoying the range of instruments and sounds at the inter-house music performance.</li> </ul>
Other information and reminders	<ul> <li>* We are very lucky to be welcoming another student teacher to the class on Monday. Mr English will be with us a little this term then most days during terms 5 and 6.</li> <li>* Friday 15<sup>th</sup> is Comic Relief. Please see the school newsletter for details.</li> <li>* You should have received a link to sign up for parents evening this week.</li> <li>Please do come along to hear how your child is getting on and see their lovely work.</li> </ul>