Year Groups: 1 and 2	Fallow Deer	Teachers: Mrs Jeavons & Mrs Oliver
English Focus texts: •Little Red Riding Hood, Snow white •Christmas Stories Constructing sentences using accurate punctuation. Understanding when to use exclamation marks and question marks. Designing characters and describing them using effective adjectives. Planning and writing a good story with a clearly defined beginning, middle and end.	Winter, Homes & Christmas	MathsYr1: Will add and subtract within 20. Through fractions they will find halves and quarters of shapes.Yr2: Will add ones and tens to 2 digit numbers and learn the method of exchanging. Children will group numbers into arrays and use counting in 2s, 5s and 10s to learn multiplication facts. Through fractions they will find halves and quarters of shapes and amounts.
Science <u>Materials/Good choices:</u> Naming materials and describing their properties Learning why specific materials are used for specific things Testing materials for waterproofing Designing a house and labelling the materials	Why? To have time to consider where we live and the materials that were used to build our homes. To compare Winter in the UK to around the world. To learn and investigate how Christmas is celebrated around the world.	Geography What does Winter look like in other parts of the world? How does the UK change in winter? How is Christmas celebrated in other countries?
Art/D&T Winter pictures using paint, blowing paint, twig printing Christmas crafts	R.E. The topic 'What do Christians Believe God is Like?' will allow children to consider their perceptions of God and how love and forgiveness is represented in the Parable of the Lost Son. We will teach the events of Jesus's birth and perform the Nativity story.	PSCHE Through the topic of 'Valuing Differences' we will use Circle Time to explore the similarities and differences between people and explain the differences between unkindness, teasing and bullying. We will talk about being kind and fair and suggest how we can show kindness to others.
ICT Children will use Purple Mash to learn about 'Grouping and Sorting' as they compare the similarities and differences of 2D shape.	P.E. In our netball skills topic children will practise throwing and catching accurately with a partner; learning how to use space and to dodge opponents and begin to show some understanding of basic tactics.	