

### Language, Literacy & Communication

The children will be taking part in our Drawing Club activities, which are linked to our current topic “Helping Hands in Pontypool”. They’ll have the chance to draw and write sentences at their own level, helping them build confidence and enjoy expressing their ideas.

### Topic Journey

This term, our topic will focus on old jobs in Pontypool, where we will explore what life and work were like in the past. The children will have the exciting opportunity to visit the local museum to see a range of fascinating artefacts from old Pontypool, helping them understand how our town has changed over time. Through engaging activities and discussions, pupils will learn about different trades and the people who helped shape our community. To end the term, we will bring our learning together in our festive Christmas production, “*The Busy Nativity*”!



### Welsh

- Wk 1 - Pwy wyt ti?
- Wk 2 - Sut wyt ti teimlo?
- Wk 3 - Ble wyt ti'n byw?
- Wk 4 - Sut mae'r tywydd heddiw?
- Wk 5 - Review
- Wk 6 - Review
- Wk 7 - Review

### Mathematics & Numeracy

- Wk 1 - Know bonds of 4, 5, 6, 7, 8 and 9
- Wk 2 - Partitioning: stories of 4 & 5, and doubles
- Wk 3 - data handling: sorting and grouping
- Wk 4 - weighing
- Wk 5 - money
- Wk 6 - time
- Wk 7 - adding and subtracting (big maths)

### Suggested Home Learning

#### Reading opportunities

- Read regularly at home - return weekly reading books on a Monday.
- Reading Eggs app - children can log on to any smart phone, tablet or laptop using the same log in details as they use for Mathseeds (previously sent home)

#### Maths opportunities:

- Mathseeds app

#### Topic opportunities:

- Here are a few fun ways to explore our topic together at home:
  - **Go for a walk around the local area** – look at the different types of shops, houses, and buildings you can see.
  - **Chat with older family members** about what Pontypool used to be like when they were younger and the kinds of jobs they did.
  - **Share your discoveries!** We'd love to see any photos or drawings you make — please send them to us at [office.georgestreetprimary@torfaen.gov.uk](mailto:office.georgestreetprimary@torfaen.gov.uk).