# Autumn 2 – *In the Spotlight*

**The children will:**

## English

- Study different forms of poetry and look at rhyme, rhythm, alliteration and repetition.
- Write the first part of a newspaper article focusing on: who, what, when, where, why, how, headlines and captions.

## Art & Design

- Make silhouettes of themselves and others

## Computing

- Use search engines to research our topic.
- Use keyboard skills to word process

## Design & Technology

- Make Christmas shadow puppets.
- Design Christmas decorations.

## Mathematics

- Look at subtraction, multiplication and division
- Begin to look at fractions
- Develop an understanding of measurement

## Science

- Understand that darkness is the absence of light.
- Creating experiments that investigate how shadows change over time.
- Look at which materials absorb light and which reflect light.
- Understand the terms opaque, translucent and transparent.

## Modern Languages

*Learn to greet people and ask how they are.*

## Music

- Learn to keep a beat on African drums.

## History

- Look at the origins of shadow puppetry

## PSHE

- To develop a healthy self esteem
- Describe how they are unique and celebrate how they are different from others
- How to keep clean and avoid the spread of germs
- Discuss relationships and how to keep them healthy.

## Physical Education

- Netball
- *Swimming*

## Religious Education

*Discussing who were the most important people in the stable*