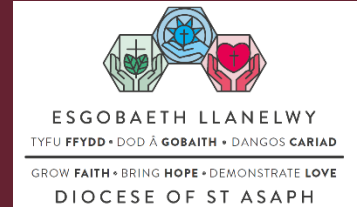




# Early Years Welcome Meeting September 2024

Ysgol yr Holl Saint – All Saints' School, Gresford. Wrexham.



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- Exploring Google Earth
- Using ipads

**Cymraeg /  
Welsh**

- Greeting
- Days of the Week
- Pwy wyt ti?



**Meithrin  
Our Wonderful World  
(Hydref 1)**



**Dyniaethau /  
Humanities**

- Explore our school
- Looking at Earth
- Our Schools' 150<sup>th</sup> Anniversary

**Y Celfyddydau Mynegiannol /  
Expressive Arts**

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- Traditional Playground games
- Exploring with different materials – chalk / charcoal

**Addysg Grefyddoll /  
Religious Education**

- Caring for God's World
- Thankfulness
- Prayers

**Iechyd a Lles /  
Health and Well-being**

- Pupil voice
- ClassPage Profiles
- Class Rules
- Thinking about other
- Similarities and differences

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**Ieithoedd, Llythrennedd a Chyfathrebu /  
Languages, Literacy and Communication**

- Jolly Phonics and Tricky Words
- Looking at books
- Sharing thoughts and feelings
- Listening to others
- Making marks
- Handwriting patterns, pencil control and grip
- Guided Reading

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- Counting forwards and backwards
- 2D shape
- Number formation
- Times of the day
- Sorting
- Patterns

**Gwyddoniaeth a Thechnoleg /  
Science and Technology**

- Exploring Google Earth
- Using ipads to take pictures, exploring with different filters
- Exploring Bee Bots
- Following a sequence to make old school dinner puddings

**Cymraeg /  
Welsh**

- Daily Helpwr Heddiw sessions
- Colours
- Weather
- Pwy wyt ti?
- Sut wyt ti?



**Derbyn  
Our Wonderful World  
(Hydref 1)**



**Dyniaethau /  
Humanities**

- Explore our school and local environment
- Our Schools' 150<sup>th</sup> Anniversary
- Old and new – changes over time
- Forest School

**Addysg Grefyddoll /  
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- Caring for God's World
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- Harvest
- The Creation Story

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# Phonics in Early Years



# What is phonics?

- Phonics is a method for teaching reading and writing
- It develops phonemic awareness – the ability to hear, recognise and use the sounds within words
- Children will also be taught other skills, such as whole-word recognition, book skills and a love and enjoyment of reading

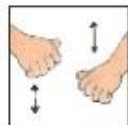
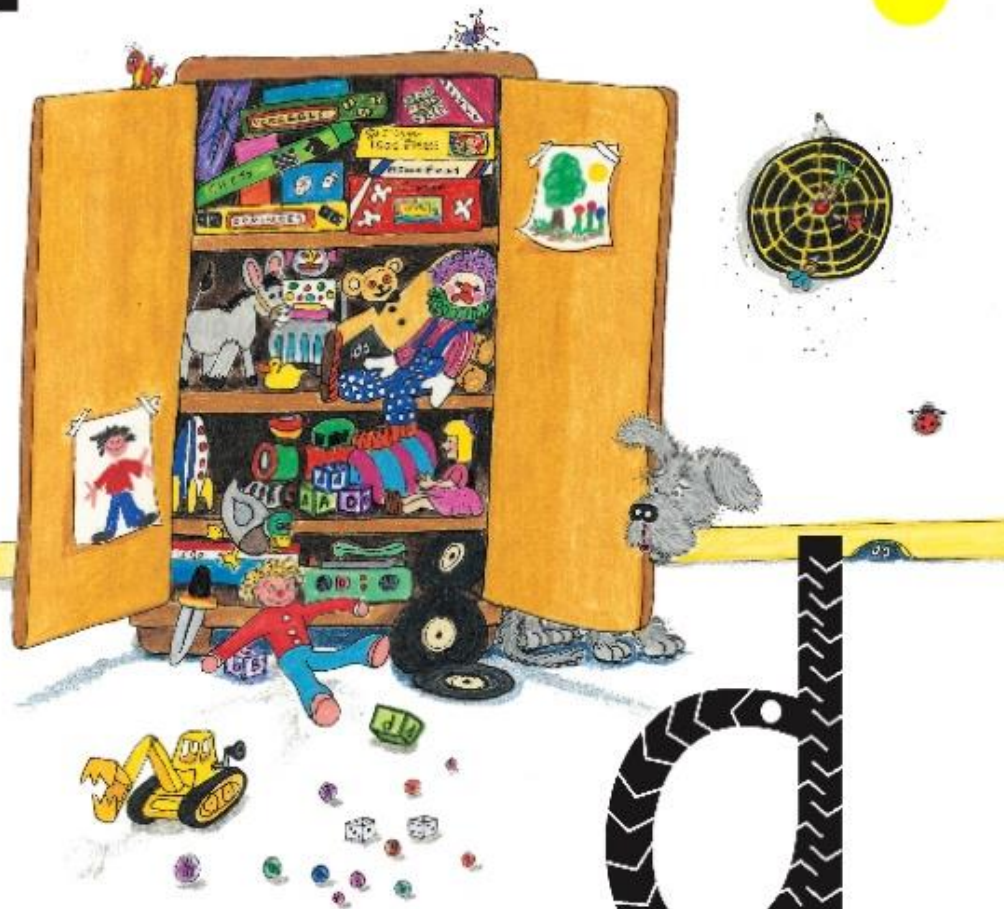
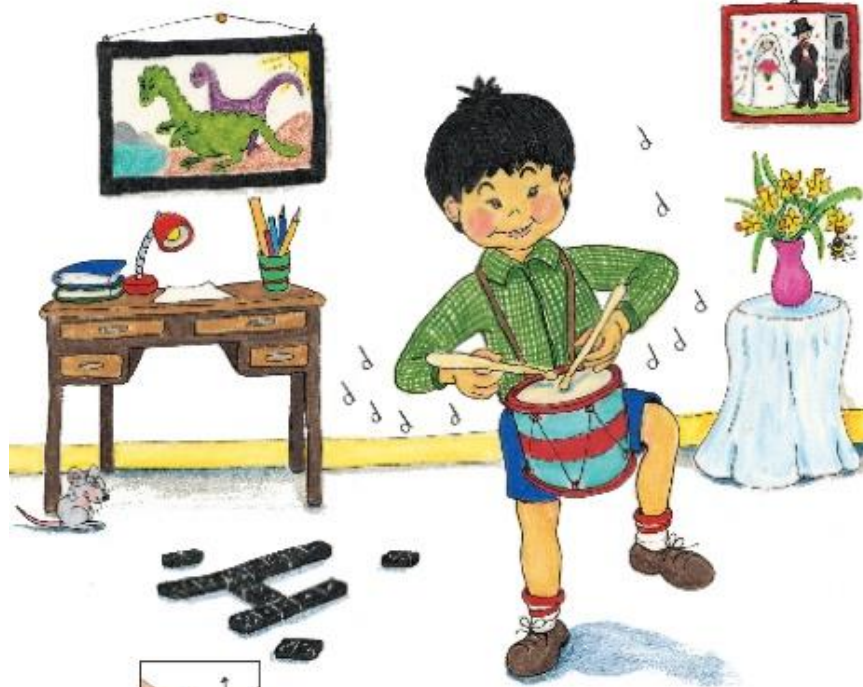


# How phonics is taught in All Saints' School...

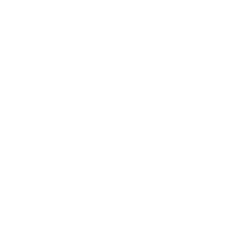
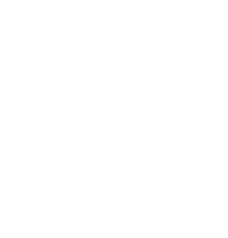
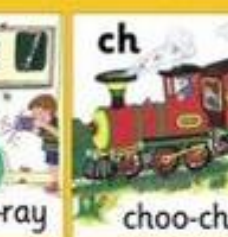
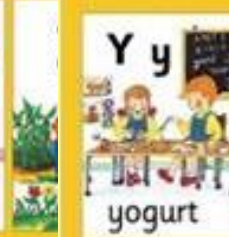
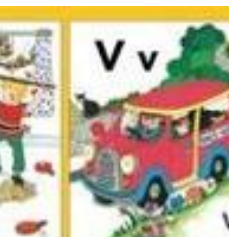
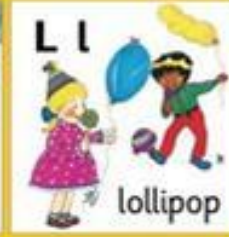
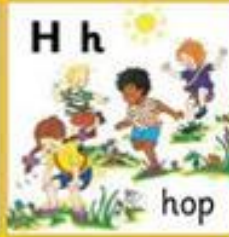
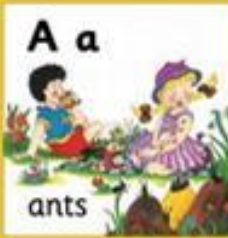




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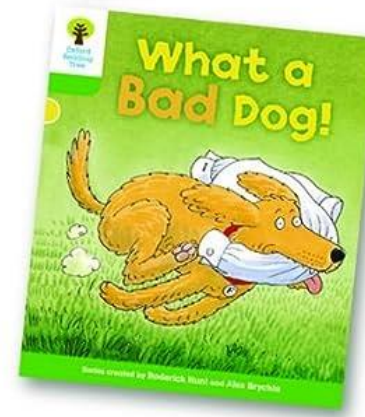
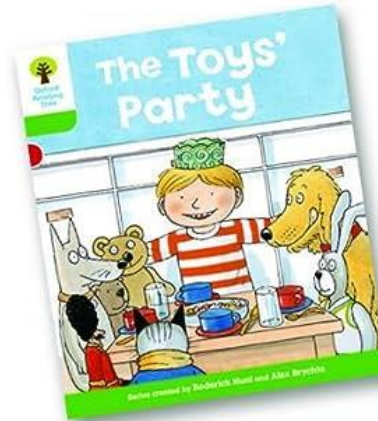
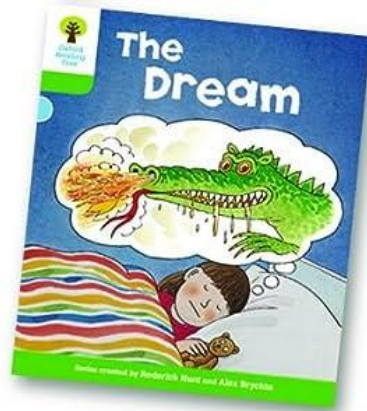
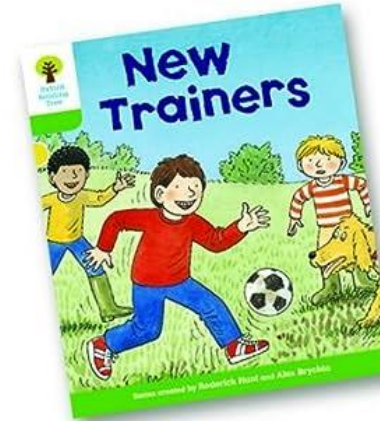
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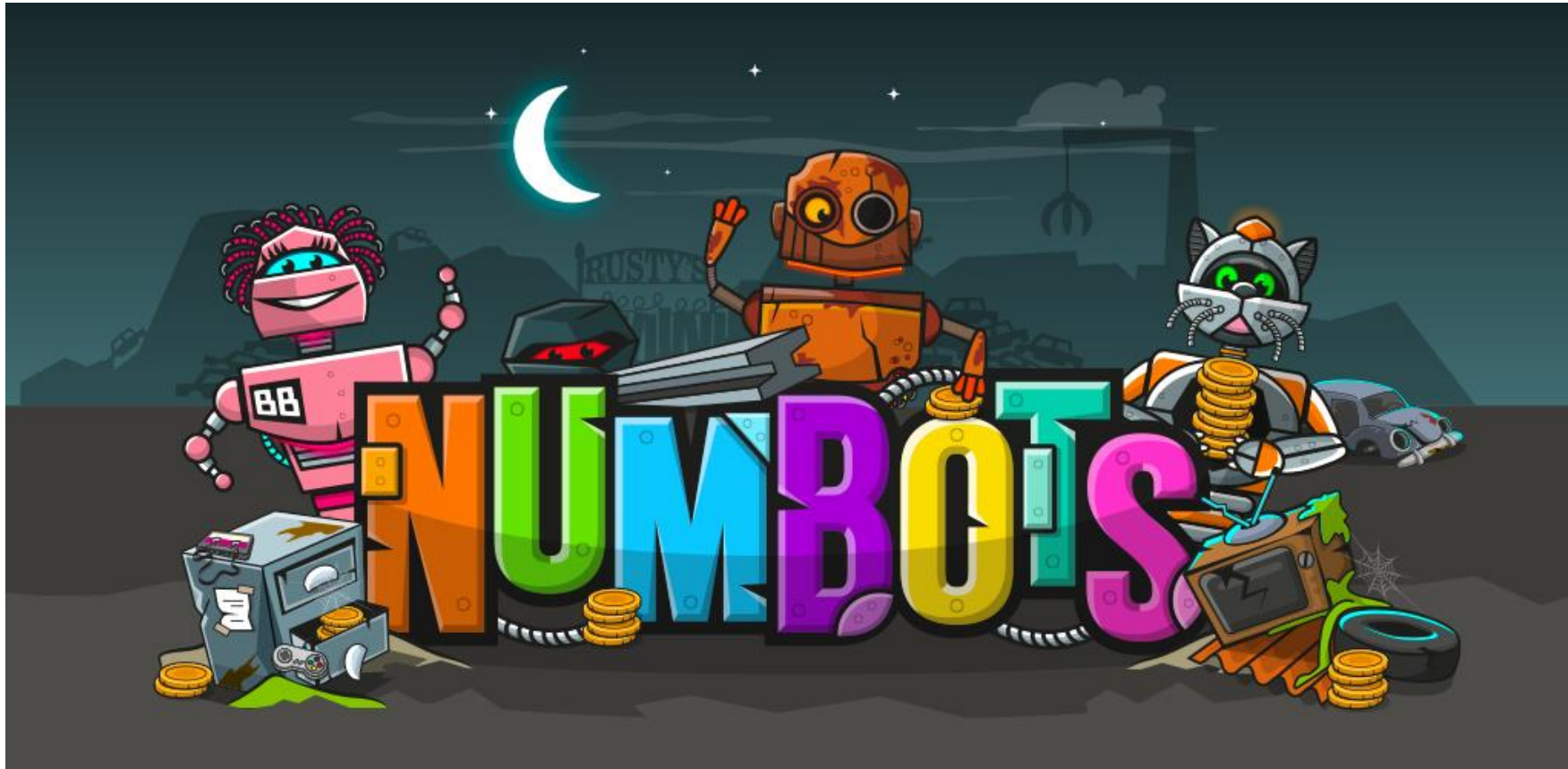
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# Guided Reading

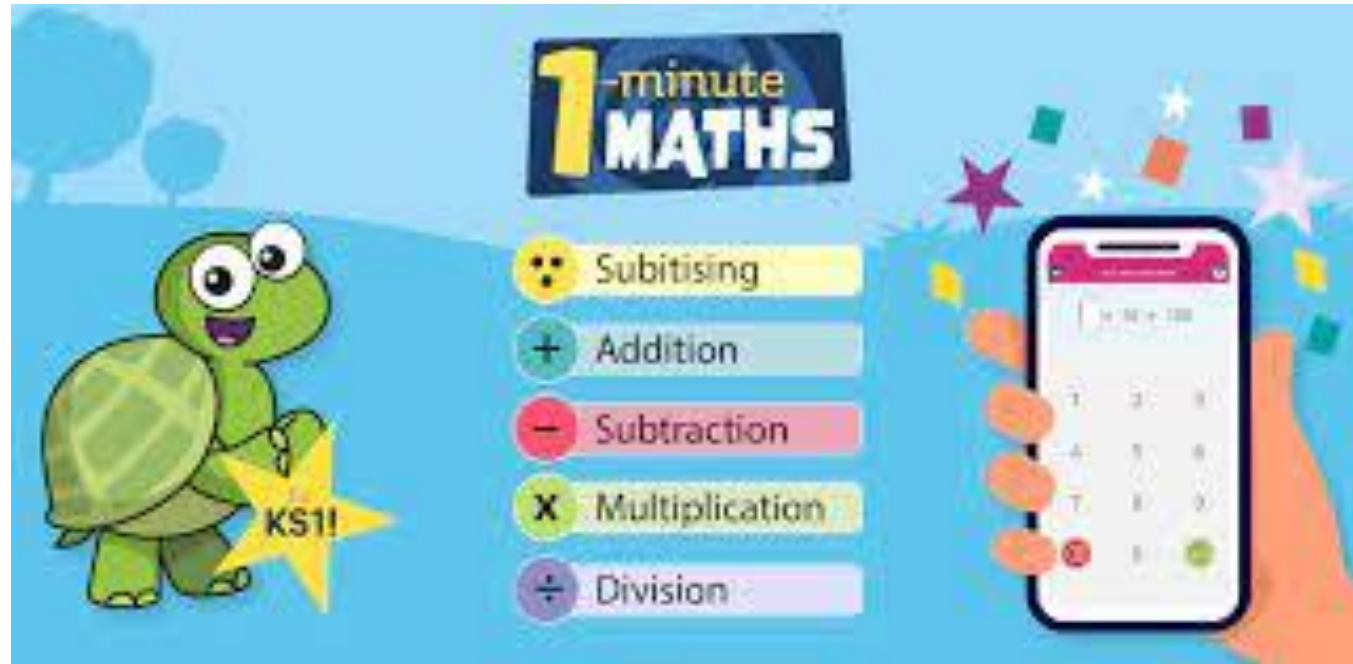


# Numbots



[Numbots Game](#)

# WhiteRose Maths



1-Minute Maths app

SeeSaw



# Timetable

- Forest School every Monday
- PE Days:
  - every Tuesday and Thursday (Dosbarth Conwy)
  - every Wednesday and Thursday (Dosbarth Caergwle)
- Reading books every Monday

# Useful resources and ideas to support your child at home:

- Numbots
- White Rose Maths – 1 minute maths
- Jolly Phonics – Jolly Learning website
- Opportunities to make marks and draw
- Activities to help to develop hand strength and dexterity:
  - Rolling, squeezing, or kneading play dough
  - Squeezing clothespins or spray bottles
  - Building with blocks
  - Climbing
  - Popping bubble wrap
  - Using tongs or tweezers with fine motor play
  - Cooking or baking in the kitchen

