Our key story this term will be 'The Winter's Child' by Angela McAllister. As part of our English teaching we will focus on how the author describes settings and characters through exciting language. We will make predictions about the book using what we have read. The children will write diary entries from the viewpoint of the main character.

Follow the footsteps through the snow back in time to walk in the footsteps of the Victorians.

We will walk around Davenham looking for physical and man-made features. We will look at Davenham over the years and discuss how the area has been improved and/or spoiled.

Numeracy

The children will be continuing to work in their Big Maths groups. We will focus on telling the time, using money, identifying shapes and solving problems using mental maths skills.

Year 1 / 2

Miss Phillips, Mr Leeman and Mr Jackson

Parents/Carers Come and Join Us!

All parents and/or grandparents are invited to come into school to carry out maths activities. Wednesday 16<sup>th</sup> March 2017 2.15pm - 3.15pm

DATE: 28th March 6pm Y2 parents' only Tattenhall Information Evening

The children will design and make a Victorian toy.

Kingdom of God

Key Question: What did Jesus say about the Kingdom of God?

We will read the parable of the mustard seed

This term we are learning about materials. The children name and sort common materials and learn about what Victorian toys were made out of and why.

ICT

The children will design a Victorian village on large paper. Then learn how to program a Beebot to move around their village.

The children will look

at the artist William Morris. They will look

closely at his

wallpaper designs and

then recreate their

own. They will draw

this onto press print

card and print their

design in blue, mixing

with white to create

lighter tones.

The children will learn how to play hockey. Focusing on the striking skills and then play mini games. The children will have gymnastics with

The children will learn about how the Victorian's lived and how it was different to our lives. We will focus on Victorian toys, schooling and holidays. As our historical significant person we will learn about the life of Charles Dickens.

Educational Visit: The children will be visiting 'Weaver Hall' for a toys through time workshop. A letter to follow.

This term we will also be going on the Tattenhall Residential (Y1 for the day / Y2 overnight). All classes have a winter role play with a Victorian living room inside. The children will be able to read winter stories and Victorian fiction books.