Writtle Infant School Year 1 Half Term Plan: Autumn 2 2025

English Plan and write 4 sentence narrative story Telling and re-telling stories Letter writing Drama -role play Reading applying known phonics Use the conjunction 'and' to join sentences Develop spellings of simple words and words ending in 'nk' Develop correct letter formation (one-armed robots and capital equivalent)	Phonics Introducing the Phase 5 phonemes - ir, ie, ue, u - o, i, a, e - a-e, i-e, o-e, u-e - e-e, ew, ie, aw	Looking After Our World Pumpkin Soup Rus General Helen Cooper 25	Maths Addition and subtraction within 10 Composition of Numbers to 10 Part-whole model One More and One Less Comparison of Quantities and Measures:	Science Everyday materials Pumpkin life cycle
Art & Design DT focus	Computing We are TV chefs Filming the steps of a recipe Computer science: computational thinking	A delicious story about three friends which explores the trials and tribulations of friendship.	Design & Technology Explore and use mechanisms (pop-up Christmas card) Design and make a Christmas tree decoration Cooking and nutrition: Gingerbread biscuits	Geography Human and physical features Comparisons between Writtle and contrasting place (link to Pattan's Pumpkin India) human and physical Seas surrounding UK Hot and cold areas of the world (link to Pattan's Pumpkin) Compare human and physical features
History The lives of significant individuals Who was Guy Fawkes? Why is he significant?	Music Adding rhythm and pitch Christmas Production	PE Ball Skills: football, kicking, passing Gymnastics: curling, rolling, control	PSHE Families and friendships: Roles of different people; families; feeling cared for Safe relationships: Recognising privacy; staying safe; seeking permission Respecting ourselves and others: How behaviour affects others; being polite and respectful	RE Core concepts about each religion Creation story Christmas