## No-Bot the Robot

Week beginning 9th October 2023

### This week in phonics...

We will be learning the 'sounds' made by the letters ck, e, u & r.

We are learning to read the 'tricky' words 'to' and 'into'.

## Why this 'theme'?

We have chosen this theme as the children have been enjoying making their own robots in our junk modelling station and have been interested in the technology resources in class.

#### This week in maths...

We will be exploring pattern.

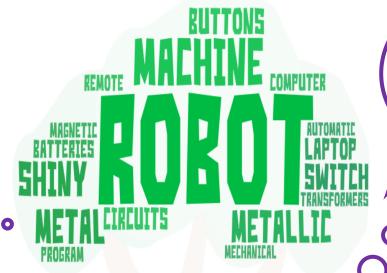
#### Skills Focus

Expressive Arts & Design: Use materials, tools and techniques to build a robot.

Personal, social and emotional: Learning what private means and explain the reasons for rules and know right from wrong.

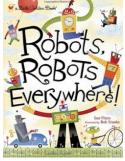
Computing: Using technology safely.

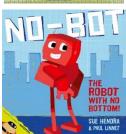
Communication and language: Answering a philosophy question using the word because.



#### Key Vocab

Expressive Arts & Design: Ideas, join, materials, safely, tools.
Personal, social and emotional:
Private, respect, choices, learning, behaviour, rules, happy, safe.
Computing: Technology, safety.
Communication and language:
Because.





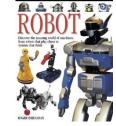
# Did you know..

Leonardo DaVinci first drew plans for a humanoid robot machine over 500 years ago.



## I wonder...

Would you rather be a robot that could speak or be a robot that could fly? Why?





Things your child can do at home: Share stories about robots, talking about what you liked or didn't like about the story, look through information books and find out a fact about robots, build your own junk model robot, investigate different 'robots' around your house.

Homework: Design your own robot and add your name using your name card. Bring into school to add to our 'Home Learning' display.

### We are a Church of England School ...

We say a prayer before lunch each day. In our daily collective worship, we will be exploring this half-term's theme of 'Hope'.

This week's song: 'Prayer is like a telephone'.

School Values: Compassion • Respect •

Responsibility



#### Reception First Class Photograph

We have sent our Cheshire Cat and White Rabbit Class photographs off to the newspaper. Check out the Norwich Evening News on Friday 20<sup>th</sup> October to see our pictures.