Year 2 Autumn 1 Newsletter What will we be learning this term? English We will be reading books about toys, and using these as a stimulus for our writing. Some texts that we will be looking at are: The Everywhere Bear, Maya's Walk and The R Lonely Beast. We will be working on our phonics on a daily basis. Mathematics We will be learning about number and place value to 100. In addition to this we will be continuing to count in 2s, 5s and 10s, and also learning to count in 3s. STATE OF THE PARTY Science We will be looking at the life processes that all living things have in common. We will also be naming plants and animals in a range of habitats and recognising how living things depend on each other. History We will be learning about how toys have changed over the years, and comparing toys that our grandparents and parents had to the toys we have today. R We are focusing on the religion, Judaism. We will be looking at different artefacts and their culture. R **PSHCE** Being Me in my World - We will be looking at rules and how they keep us safe as well as our rights and responsibilities. S S Computing Purple Mash - We will be learning all about Purple Mash and how we can use it, as well how to keep safe whilst online. Design Technology We will be making a windmill and identifying all the different mechanisms that make it work. Music We will be exploring under the sea through music, movement and chanting.