

Year 1 Autumn Term 2 2020

Maths

This half term we will continue to focus on adding and subtracting numbers to 20, ensuring that children are confident recalling and using number bonds (e.g. 6+4 = 10). We will be using tens frames and 'part-part-whole' models to do this. We will also be practising counting in 1s, 2s and 10s- it would be brilliant if you could continue to practise this at home!





English

I am sure you have noticed the children becoming more confident and are really enjoying reading their Read, Write Inc Book Bag books! We will continue to use this phonics programme to support the children with their reading and writing this half term. We will be encouraging the children to remember and write dictated sentences, as well as composing their



Key Vocabulary:

own longer sentences.

Maths: part, whole, addition, subtraction, total and sum.



Topic: seasons, temperature, observe, customer, past and present.

Topic

Our topic lessons this half-term will be based around two key enquiry questions:

- Where do leaves go at the end of winter?
- How have toys changed over time?

As part of this, we have a trip to the Queen's Hill Country Park planned as well as a virtual visitor linked to our toy topic!



Science

We will be thinking about what changes we can observe when the seasons change, and how the days and temperature changes with each season. The children will also be thinking about the question 'Where do leaves go at the end of Winter?'



Music

We are a singing school so throughout the term will enjoy singing in class, especially as we prepare for our Y1 nativity. This half-term we will have weekly music sessions focusing on experimenting with and creating sounds using untuned instruments.

Sports

We will be thinking about exploring the ways our body can move in response to music. The children will think about what they are reminded of when they hear different types of music and how they can move their body to show this.

RE/RSE - We will be learning about what family and friends mean to us, how to communicate our feelings to others and to recognise how others are feeling and how to respond to them.

Weekly diary	
Monday	 Library and book swap day- make sure you bring back reading books from home to change today! PE day- children to come to school dressed in their PE kits.
Tuesday	
Wednesday	
Thursday	PE day- children to come to school dressed in their PE kits.
Friday	New weekly home learning activity set on Tapestry

Key Dates this Half-Term	
20.11.20	Anti-bullying curriculum day (in class)
3.12.20	Toy cafe
4.12.20	Festive family and friends curriculum day (in class)
Week beginning 14.12.20	Year 1 Nativity goes live online!
16.12.20	KS1 Christmas Dinner

News

Welcome back to all of our Year 1 pupils and their families! We hope that you had a restful and enjoyable half-term break.

Autumn 2 looks set to be a busy half-term! Our learning this term will be linked around the following enquiry questions:

- Where do leaves go at the end of winter?
- How have toys changed over time?

As always, if any parents/ carers have any specialisms that they would like to share with the children that link into these topics then please do get in touch with your child's class teacher.

The children have also started preparing for our Year 1 nativity this week. The nativity will be pre-filmed in our class bubbles and will be made available to parents online later in the term.

We will continue to use Tapestry as the main way to communicate with families throughout the autumn term. Thank you so much for uploading and sharing the learning that you have been doing at home with your children.

Year 1 Team:)