

Year 1 Newsletter

Friday 29th September 2017

Well what a busy week we have had in year. Thank you for attending the curriculum meeting on Thursday, if you were unable to attend, please provide your email address so we can send you through the PowerPoint with some helpful notes.

In English, we have been exploring our new story of Elmer. We have developed our use of adjectives this week by describing Elmer and the jungle setting from the story. We have recapped how to use full stops and capital letters in our writing and have been focusing on including these in our pieces of work.

In Maths, we have explored number bonds to ten by adding two numbers together. Children have been using numicon, cubes, number lines and bears to show different ways to make 10, for example: $5 + 5 = 10$. We have used our knowledge of numbers to 10 to help us solve simple missing number problems such as $3 + _ = 10$.

In Topic, we have been learning a little more about ourselves and thinking about how we have grown through the years from baby to child. We have created a growth timeline from baby to elderly and discussed the changes that we may see as we grow up through the years for example our height and size.

How can you help at home?

This week we have been creating number bonds to 10 using addition. Next week in Maths, we will be exploring subtraction bonds to 10, for example: $6 - 4 = 10$. Whilst at home at the weekend, encourage your child to count a few items at home and take some away. How many are left? How did the calculate the answer? Continue to read at least three times awake and note down how your child is getting on in their reading record. If you have any concerns regarding reading, please write a note in the contact book provided by the class teacher and we will respond to you asap.

Home Learning this week is:

Spellings will be weekly, this weeks spellings are: your, all,

Please remember

Contact books have been provided for all parents in year 1, if there is a change in pick up or a question, please write a note in the contact book and we will respond asap. We are still awaiting some baby pictures for a class project, if they could be sent into the following email addresses or bought in for photocopying, it will be greatly appreciated. Thank you for your continued support.

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Thought of the week

'The more that you read, the more you will know. The more that you learn, the more places you will go'

Dr Seuss

Star of the week goes to...

Enterprise – Casper: for becoming more confident in a new environment.

Jubilee – Lacie: For her great description of Elmer.

Congratulations!