



Hedgehogs Learning Update Week Ending 17.05.2024



This week, the children continued their swimming lessons, which they all seem to be really enjoying! In history, we learnt about Roman baths especially the ones at Bath. We had two science lessons this week, and learnt about classifying and sorting flowering and non-flowering plants, as well as identifying birds.

Miss Haycox & Miss Badger

Maths

This week, the children had a go at word problems involving money. We then started a new topic of measurement. Children have been practising converting units of length, metres and centimetres, and metres and kilometres. For their homework, I have set them some more practise of these conversions. Next week, we will be converting between grams and kilograms, before moving onto perimeter. I couldn't find a maths game linked to centimetres, metres and kilometres unfortunately!

Reading

Due to swimming, we won't be able to fit in our whole class reading sessions. For homework, I will set a reading comprehension sheet for children to read and have a go at answering. If children are struggling, you can read it with them or read the questions, it doesn't need to be independent. During our whole class reading lessons, we would be working in small groups or pairs anyway.

I'm conscious that even though they are able to complete their maths and writing, it's good for them to keep practising their comprehension skills.

This week, I've set a non-fiction and fiction text for children to have a go at.

Reading books will be changed on Mondays still and Miss Badger will continue to try and hear as many of the children read as possible.



Science

I've found an animal classification game children can play to practise sorting animals by shared characteristics.



Spelling

Here are our spellings for the next two weeks:
Year 3 and 4 common mistakes from the assessment week:
caught, creature, difficult, hopeful, invention
jealous, nearby, obvious, scent, spicy

You might see some of the spellings repeat next half-term as we have had less time to practise them in school due to swimming.



Keep practising on TT Rockstars and the Multiplication Check!



Upcoming dates

Tuesday 7th May – Friday 24th May – Swimming sessions
Friday 24th May – Term ends
Monday 3rd June – Term starts
Wednesday 26th June – ThinkTank trip

Weekly reminders

Mondays – Reading books and library books changed (as needed).
Fridays – come dressed in PE kit (only for the next 3 weeks)

