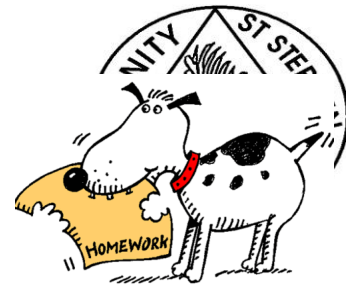


This week in Year 1

Monday 12th October 2020



This week we are going to be doing a taste test in science as our topic is all about our senses.

Please email me if your child has any allergies.

We will be using our sense of smell to see if we can guess what it is before we taste it.

We will be tasting:

Honey

Milk

Lemon juice

Marmite

Vinegar

Orange squash



English:

This week we are going to be looking at non-fiction books and making sure we know the difference between non-fiction and fiction.

We will be thinking about questions we want to ask to find out about Owls.

We will then be reading information to learn about Owls and planning our own non-fiction information pages.

Phonics:

We have now gone through all our phase 3 sounds and will be writing them, reading words which contain those sounds and writing words.

Please do keep recapping the sounds at home.

We are also going through our tricky words and using them in sentences:

he, she, be, her, my, me, we, are, was, they, all, you

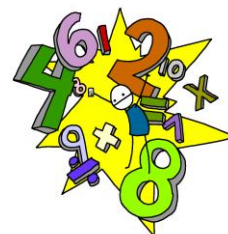
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Maths:

In Maths this week we are going to be looking at doubling. We will talk about what doubling is and will be doubling numbers to 10 and then to 20. Some children may be maths superstars and go beyond 20!

We will be writing our doubles as a number sentence eg $4 + 4 = 8$

We are continuously working on number formation, making sure all numbers are written the right way and 2 digit numbers are written correctly.



Homework:

Your child will be bringing home 3 reading books on Monday and this will need to be returned on Thursday. Please read them with your child and remember to talk about the story, asking them questions.

Bug club is now up and running again. I have allocated your child a book band and they have a selection of books to read. (You access bug club through their abacus log in)

I have set work on Purplemash and abacus.

Your child may also be able to play some games on TT rockstars.

Please help your child practice their spellings for this week. They will be tested next Friday (16th October) Please make sure you read the letter to know what spelling group your child is in- they must learn the right list of words.

**Action Points:**

★ PE is on Tuesday & Friday so please make sure that your child has a full PE kit in school and that every item is named.

★ The weather is beginning to change this week so please make sure your child has a coat/raincoat with them in case!

★ Please ensure that your child has their own pencil case that contains writing pencils, colouring pencils, a whiteboard pen, scissors and a glue stick. Some children's whiteboard pen or gluestick has run out. We do say to bring it back home to you so you are aware and can provide them with a new one.

★ Please make sure you help your child practice their weekly spellings. The test will be on Friday 16th October.

★ My email if you need it is h.horth@tssfirst.co.uk

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