



This week in Year 1

Monday 2nd November 2020

I hope you all had a lovely half term.

This half term our topics are going to be autumn, castles and then of course Christmas!

Next week will be writing some autumn poems. Over the weekend (7th/8th) please could you take your child on an autumn walk seeing what signs of autumn you can spot. On Monday 9th they are welcome to bring in some autumn objects that they can show and talk about. Please only bring in a few items and put them in a bag they can put on their peg.

Your child took home their pencil case at the end of half term. Please make sure it comes back into school and has pencils, colouring pencils, a rubber, a sharpener, a whiteboard pen, scissors and a glue stick.



English:

This week we are going to be focusing on nouns and adjectives in preparation for our autumn poems.

We will be making sure we know the difference between a noun and an adjective and will be looking at some autumn objects and writing descriptive phrases about them.

We will of course still be trying hard to remember capital letters and full stops.

Phonics:

We will continue to recap phase 3 and use phase 3 sounds in our writing but we are now moving onto phase 4.

We will be looking at the blends **st**, **nd**, **mp** and **nt** this week.

We will be writing words- nest, best, hand, lamp, tent etc.

We will also be looking at the tricky words: **said**, **have like**

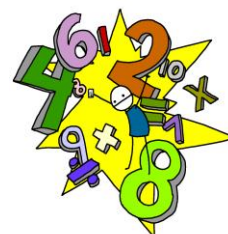
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Maths:

In Maths this week we are going to be looking at our numbers to 100 (and beyond if we are confident with those!)

We will be spotting numbers which are missing, thinking at more and less eg finding one more/one less two more/two less etc. We will also be ordering numbers from smallest to biggest and biggest to smallest.

We will also be checking we know our 2 digit numbers and understand a 2 digit number is made up of tens and ones.



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 (6th November) Please make sure you read the letter to know what spelling group your child is in- they must learn the right list of words. You are now looking at the document 'Year 1 spellings autumn 2'

**Action Points:**

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

★ Please make sure your child's pencil case is back in school and has everything it needs to have in it.

★ Over the weekend please go on an autumn walk and collect some items you may want to bring into school to show/look at.

★ Please make sure you help your child practice their weekly spellings. The test will be on Friday 6th November.

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



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