This week in Year 1



Monday 23rd November 2020

On Wednesday 3rd December we will be making our own castles in groups out of junk modelling. We will plan what our castles will look and what materials we will need and I can send your child home with their plan. Please do start collecting junk modelling ready for your child to bring into school that day. Please do not send it in before Wednesday 3rd December.



English:

This week we are going to be writing our own adventure story. Our setting in going to be a castle and we will think about characters we want in our story and what happens in the beginning, middle and end.

We are going to be trying to use adjectives in our stories to make them more interesting.

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 fl, gl, pl, cl, sl, sp, st, sm this week.

We will be writing words- text, tree, drawing, granpa

We will also be looking at the tricky words: have, like, there, one

Phonics
ee ur ow
wh y au

Maths:

In Maths this week we are going to be looking at time.

We will begin this week by looking at days of the week and then we will move on to months of the year.

We are going to be creating our own calendar thinking about what season each month is in and if anything special happens in that month.



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.

Please also have a look at bug club and read the books on there.

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 (27th 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'

Please learn your star spellings for this half term.

There are also some resources under the 'ongoing resources 2020 2021' tab. This will help with learning at home.



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. We have noticed quite a few children do not have a glue tick. This is something we use quite a lot so please do provide your child with one.
- ★ Star spellings have come home for this half term to learn.
- ★Please make sure you help your child practice their weekly spellings. The test will be on Friday 27th November.
- ★Please start collecting junk modelling for our castle building
- ★ My email if you need it is h.horth@tssfirst.co.uk



The Year 1 Team
Miss Horth and Mrs Jhita