# This week in Year 1



# Tuesday 7<sup>th</sup> May 2024



## **English:**

We have started to look at non-fiction books and will be writing our own African animal non-fiction books. This week we will be researching and reading information to find out facts about African animals. We will be using that information to begin to write our pages, thinking about a heading, pictures etc.

### **Phonics:**

This week we will be revising the sounds:

ee, ea, er

Words to focus on: be, he, me, she, no, go, so, do, to, today, I, by, my



#### Maths:

This week we are going to be looking at capacity and volume. We will be using the language of full, empty, half full, nearly empty etc. We will be comparing and doing our own capacity investigation.



#### Homework:

Please read daily with your child. They are able to change their coloured book each day.

Monster phonic books get changed each Monday. Please make sure monster phonic books are kept in school bags so we can change them.

Homework will come home on a Friday and needs to be handed in the following Wednesday.

Your child will be tested on their weekly spellings every Friday.

Please support your child to learn their star spellings for this half term. They will be tested before the May half term.



#### **Action Points:**

★We will be swimming Wednesday mornings this half term. Please remember your child needs a swimming bag with a towel, goggles and swimming hat in. We ask that they wear their swimming costume/trunks underneath their school clothes to make changing a little easier. Please come and speak to me if you have any questions.

Please can girls have their hair up as this makes it easier to put on swimming hats, thank you.

- ★Please make sure your child's reading books and diary is in their bag each day. Monster phonic books are changed every Monday and your child can choose from their coloured basket daily.
- ★ Tuesday is the sponsored run at Stovell field. Please drop your child at the field at 8.45am in their PE kit. They will be staying in their PE kit all day.
- ★Year 1's class assembly will be on Thursday 16<sup>th</sup> May at 9am.
- ★ My email if you need it is h.horth@tssfirst.co.uk



