



This week in Year 1

Monday 16th May 2022

Year 1 are very excited about our class assembly this week. Our class assembly is on Thursday at 9am at St Stephen Church. Thank you for supporting your child to learn their lines.



In English this week we are going to be writing our own surprise story. Our stories will be set in Kenya and we will be thinking about who the main characters are going to be and what the surprise in the story is going to be. We will be sharing our stories with each other.

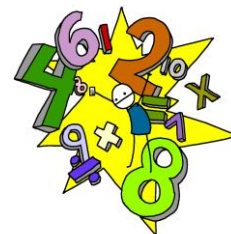
Phonics:

The phonic screening is taking place the week after half term so we practising reading alien and real words making sure we can read phase 3 and phase 5 sounds. We are also making sure we can read tricky words. During our phonic lessons we are recapping phase 3 and phase 5 sounds making sure we can recognise the different ways sounds are spelt.

Phonics
ee ur ow
wh y au

Maths:

This week we are going to be looking at capacity. We will be using the language of full, half full, half empty, nearly empty, nearly full and empty. We will be putting containers in order thinking about which has the most and which has the least. We will then be doing our own experiment to find out which containers holds the most amount of water.



Homework:

Just a reminder that your child is able to change their reading book each day. Please let me know if your child is not changing their book and I can remind them to do it.

Please remember that purple homework folders come home on a Friday and need to be back in school by Wednesday. All work in the homework folder needs to be completed.

There is also online learning on abacus and purplemash. Please also remember that big club is available.

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

Please support your child learning their star spellings. There will be a test on Monday 23rd May.



**Action Points:**

- ★ This half term our PE days will be Wednesday (swimming) and Friday. On Wednesday mornings we will need to leave school at 9am to get to the Leisure Centre on time. Please make sure your child arrives at school promptly.
- ★ Please remember that homework comes home on a Friday and needs to be handed in by Wednesday.
- ★ Please remember that there are homework online resources including purplemash, bug club and active learn to use.
- ★ Your child will be tested on their star spellings on Monday 23rd May.
- ★ Our class assembly is on Thursday at 9am. It will be at St Stephen Church.
- ★ My email if you need it is h.horth@tssfirst.co.uk

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