



This week in Year 1

Monday 20th January 2025



English:

Our topic this half term is 'Julia Donaldson.' This week we are going to be looking at the story 'Room on the Broom' We will be using pictures from the story to write sentences and making sure we use adjectives correctly in our sentence writing. We will be choosing a character from Room on the Broom to describe, thinking about what they do, how they act and describing what they look like.

Phonics:

We will be using monster phonics during our phonic lessons.

This week we are looking at the sounds:

ew and spelling Rule k before e, i and y

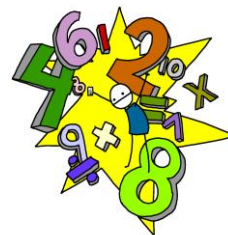
The words we are focusing on: good, took, book, looks, looking, car, dark, park, hard, garden, found, round, around, mouse, shouted

Phonics
ee ur ow
wh y au

Maths:

This week we are going to be focusing on numbers to 20. We will be looking at place value in particular.

It is important we know how to count and order numbers to 20 but also write them down as words eg one, two, three etc and be able to partition a number into tens and ones. For example 11 is made up of one ten and one one.



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 comes home on Friday and needs to be handed in on Wednesday.

Your child will be tested on their spellings each Friday. Please support them with learning their spellings.

Please help your child to learn their star spellings for this half term. They will be tested before February half term.



Action Points:

- ★ PE is on Monday & Friday this half term 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 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.
- ★ My email if you need it is h.horth@tssfirst.co.uk



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