This week in Year 1



Monday 24th January 2022



This week we are going to be looking at the Julia Donaldson book 'The Snail and the Whale.' We will be making our own inferences about the characters thinking about what they do and how they act in the story.

We will be then writing our own postcard from the snail to his mum and dad to explain to them where he has been on his adventure and what it was like.

Phonics:

We are now learning phase 5 sounds. This week we are looking at the sounds:

oe, au, ey, a-e

We will also be looking at the tricky words: could, have, like, with



Maths:

This week we are going to be looking at our multiples of 2 and multiples of 5. We will be making sure we notice the pattern and can count in 2's and 5's up to 100.

We will be using practicing counting with our multiples by playing some PE games and having to keep score.



Homework:

Your child will bring home a reading book. They will be able to change their book once they have read 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.

There is a spelling test every Friday. Please support your child with learning their words each week.





Action Points:

- ★ This half term PE is on a Wednesday and Friday. Please make sure your child has a PE kit in school.
- ★ Please remember that homework comes home on a Friday and needs to be handed in by Wednesday. We are getting a lot of children who are not handing their homework in on time. Please support your child with this.
- ★ Please remember that there are homework online resources including purplemash, bug club and active learn to use.
- ★ Some children have come back to school without the right equipment in their pencil cases. Please make sure they have pencils, colouring pencils, scissors, a gluestick and a whiteboard pen.
- ★ This week I am going to send home coloured star spellings. These are spellings that your child will need to learn over the next couple of weeks. They will be tested the week before February half term. These are extra words on top of weekly spellings. Please support your child with learning these.
- ★ My email if you need it is h.horth@tssfirst.co.uk

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