



YEAR 1

Coming up after Half-term...7.11.22

Maths

Learning in school:

This week in school we will be thinking about number bonds to ten and how to systematically approach problem solving. We will be introducing tens frames and using addition to demonstrate different calculations to ten.

English

Learning in school:

This week in school we are going to be introducing our new topic Toys. The children will be listening to a new text and retelling the story as a group. They will then work together to write words and phrases which will help us develop our own versions.

Phonics

Learning in school:

We will be revisiting the GPC's er, ur, ay, ow, ou, oi, oy, ee, ea, ur, ir, igh, ie, oo and u
And looking at the tricky words *here, today, one, their, people, oh* and *your*

Reading

Learning in school:

This week teachers will read individually with each child before starting our whole class bug club reading sessions.

Topic

Learning in school:

In Art we will be learning about Jackson Pollock and creating a piece of work in his style.
In PSHE we will be thinking about events where fireworks are used and fire work safety.
In RE/ICT we will be thinking about Diwali and discussing key features of the celebration.
This will link to our computing, in which we will be creating our own Rangoli patterns.
In PE we will be starting our new topics of fundamentals.
In Music the children will be continuing their learning about rhythm and pitch.

Additional notes and reminders

Homework - Thank you for supporting the children to develop their timelines. They are fantastic and we have enjoyed sharing them with each other as part of our History learning. Over half term please focus upon reading with your child and revising the tricky words that we have learnt this term.

If anyone is celebrating Diwali over the holiday please send in pictures so that we can share the children's experiences with the class.

This term our new topic is Toys. We will be creating our own puppets in DT. If you have a puppet at home which you are willing to share with us please send it in, clearly named.

On the 8th and 9th of November we are inviting you all to celebrate the children's work with them. Please look out for sign-up sheets by classroom doors and let us know when you are coming.

On 17th November we will be taking a walk into Stoneleigh to further our Geography learning. Each class will need volunteers. If you are able to help from approx. 10:00 am till lunchtime please let your class teacher know.

We wish you all lovely half-term holiday and look forward to seeing you in November.

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Please note that as the week progresses it is sometimes necessary to change what is planned to meet the learning needs of the children and therefore changes to the above may occur.