

YEAR 1



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Coming up next week...13.6.22

Maths

This week we will be re-visiting place value and working with numbers up to 100, identifying how many tens and ones there are in different numbers. The children will be selecting resources to make numbers up to 100 and will then record their work using jottings. We will also be practising using a hundred square and learning where to find different numbers using our knowledge of tens and ones. We will then be finding ten more and ten less than a given number. The children will also be challenged to find where given numbers would go on a blank hundred square.

English

In English this week we will be looking at a new story, 'The Lighthouse Keepers Lunch.' At the beginning of the week we will be evaluating the story by thinking about the characters, setting and events. Our writing focus next week will be to create a postcard from the lighthouse keeper, Mr Grinling. We will then be writing postcards in response.

Reading

Next week we will be introducing our new Bugclub story, 'The Pet Portrait Painter' We will be reading and discussing the events in the story and thinking about the different characters.

Phonics

GPC's - are, ui, aigh, eer, ie, ea, u, j, oul, su, dge, y, ie, wr, si, ar, a, ture, su, ar, wh

Tricky Words - friend, eye, once, move, because, improve, because, laugh, parents, shoe

Topic

PSHE - In PSHE We will be thinking about our Dads and the male role models we have in our lives. We will be looking at how Father's Day is celebrated across the world and the special things about our dads.

Science - We will be planting mystery seeds and predicting what kind of plants they will grow into. We will be learning about the things needed to grow a healthy plant and creating a plan for how to look after each of the plants over the upcoming weeks.

Geography - In geography, we will be focusing on the points of a compass and drawing simple maps to match the instructions.

Computing -In Computing we will begin our unit called Maze Explorers. We will be using the direction keys to move characters in the right direction. We will also be creating a simple algorithm.

Art - This week's Art is a surprise!

RE - In RE this term we are thinking about the planet, how different religions believe it was created and our role in looking after it for future generations.

Music - In music we will be starting our new unit and learning a new song.

Additional notes and reminders

STEAM Week

This term we will be celebrating The Mead Infant's first STEAM week! During this week, each year group will be using science, technology, engineering, Art and Maths to carry out an enterprise project, which will result in an enterprise fair that you are all invited to.

Year one will be using their science learning to create a gardening enterprise.

We would be very grateful for any donations of pots, compost, seeds, or general gardening equipment/ expertise to help us in our project. If you are able to help in any way, please email your class teacher to organise.

Lunch Reminder

Just a reminder that we ask that the children have either a school dinner or a packed lunch each day. Unfortunately the children are not able to switch during the week as this becomes very complicated for the catering team. Thank you in advance for your support with this.

Local Community Visit

As part of our Geography learning this term we are comparing features of the local community to the seaside.

On Wednesday 22nd June we are hoping to take a walk around the local area to see the features of a town.

If you are available in the morning from 9:30 am - 11:00 am to support us with this please let your class teacher know by Tuesday 14th June.

Each class will need three volunteers.

Homework

As always please continue to read with your child four times a week.

Today your child will be bring home a sheet which will help them consolidate their positional language which we have been thinking about in Maths.

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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.