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Coming up next week...10/1/2022

Maths

Learning in school:

Children will continue to learn about 2D / 3D shapes and their properties. They will play 'guess my shape' and create clue cards for their friends to solve.

English

Learning in school:

Following on from our Arctic/Antarctic immersion, we will be focusing on a book called The Little Polar Bear by Hans de Beer. We will be rewriting the beginning of the story using adjectives, noun phrases and compound sentences (sentences where conjunctions have been used).

Reading/Phonics:

This week, we will be starting a new shared reading book called A Token of Friendship. The story is about two young girls in Roman Britain. They meet as they flee from a battle - in which their families are enemies!

Topic

Learning in school:

PSHE: We will be talking about the ways in which we are similar and different to our friends.

Music: We are continuing our module: I Wanna Play in a Band. Children will begin by listening to and appraising the song 'We Will Rock You' by Queen. They will use their bodies to find the pulse and think about what instruments are playing in the song. We will discuss whether or not they like the song and why. We will then continue learning the song I Wanna Play in a Band by Joanna Mangona.

Computing: We will be creating a table and block graph using a spreadsheet.

Indoor PE: We will be continuing with our gymnastic module, using shapes to create balances.

Outdoor PE: We will be continuing with our ball skills module, learning how to roll a ball to hit a target.

Homework

We would like the children to complete a shape hunt at home. It would be great if they could write in their homework books or take a photo of what they have seen and what shape it is. For example:

Pringles tube -> cylinder

Additional notes and reminders

Please could girls wear shorts under their skirts on a Tuesday for yoga and please could children wear their PE kit to school on their class's PE days.

Please also ensure that no earrings are worn to school at any time.

Class email addresses:

Please do not use these email addresses to tell us about changes to pick up, as we do not always have the opportunity to check the class email addresses during the school day.

Leopards: leopards@mead.surrey.sch.uk

Bears: bears@mead.surrey.sch.uk

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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.