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*Coming up next week...2.5.22*

### **Maths**

In Maths this week, we will be thinking about division. We will be looking at the division symbol  $\div$ , and thinking about the different ways we can say division e.g share

We will then be practically sharing out objects fairly and equally to find answers to calculations. We will also begin to look at how we can solve worded problems using division or sharing, showing our working out with jottings.

### **English**

This week in school we will be using adjectives to describe the White Rabbit. We will then be writing detailed descriptions of him. We will also be looking at using a variety of conjunctions to join our ideas together.

#### Reading

We will be starting our new bug club story, 'Opposites Attract.' This story shares the basic concepts of forces, especially magnetic forces.

The story will help us learn new words such as:

force  
push  
pull  
magnet  
metal  
attract  
repel  
north pole  
south pole

### **Phonics**

This week we will be thinking about:

GPC's - **IGH IE I-E EE EA E OA O O-E OO UE EW OR**

Tricky Words - today, their, people. Your, any

### Topic

#### Learning in school:

In Art we will continue looking at the Victorian artist Beatrix Potter. The children will be choosing one of her famous book characters to paint on their watercolour background. In History we will continue learning about life in Victorian times. We will be learning about schools, looking at the similarities and differences between school today, and in the past. In RE we will be learning about the Ten Commandments and how Moses was given these. We will then be writing them on our scrolls that we made last week. This will include talking about how sometimes friends can fall out and thinking about what we could do to be an even better friend. In computing we will continue to work on coding unit.

### Additional notes and reminders

#### ADVANCE WARNING:

On Friday 20th May we will be having Victorian Day and the children will be able to come to school in Victorian costumes.

Please do not feel the need to purchase a special costume; old, cut off school trousers and an old t-shirt will suffice. You could also look on the website in the photo gallery for costume ideas from past Victorian themed days. If you have any questions about what to provide, please speak to a member of the Year 1 team.



#### Homework

This week we are asking the children to think about their literacy learning in school. During the week every class made a magic potion and wrote instructions. For homework we would like the children to create their very own, and write out the instructions.

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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.*