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Coming up next week...

Maths

Next week we will be recapping more and less, as well as continuing our place value learning. We will be asking the children to think carefully about the value of each digit within a teen number and asking them to represent that value using a physical object.

English

Next week we will be looking carefully at non-fiction texts and sorting fiction and non-fiction books. We will then look for features of non-fiction texts and use the knowledge we learn to create our own non-fiction work next week.

New GPC'S: **y (igh) ow (oa) g (j) ph (f)**

New Tricky Words: **who, whole, where, two**

Reading

Next week we will be starting our new text Pet Portraits. We will be thinking carefully about the story and it's plot and introducing the key vocabulary from the text:

Portrait, paintings, subject, brushstrokes, techniques, pointillist, expressionist, art nouveau pop art, surrealist, canvas, easel, sketched

Topic

Music - Next week we will be appraising a new blues song and continuing to develop our performance of 'In the Groove.'

PSHE - We will be starting our topic, 'Happy and Healthy.' Next week we will be asking the children what they think being happy and healthy means. We will then be developing these ideas over the next few weeks.

Science - In science next week we will be thinking about features of a bird. We will be using this knowledge to help us classify animals later on in the term.

Geography - In Geography we will be comparing weather across the UK to show that different regions can experience different weather on the same day.

Art - In Art next week we will be experimenting with different printing techniques using clay.

PE- In PE we will be continuing our units of Dance and Fundamentals.

Handwriting - We will be learning how to form the letters u, y and j using lead ins.

Computing - In computing we will be thinking about how data can be represented using the computers.

Additional notes and reminders

Homework:

Please add this week's phonics revision sheet to your child's folder and revise the sounds that they have learned this week.

To consolidate our place value work the children will be sent a piece of Maths work.

This will mean phonics and reading take place weekly.

Phonics, reading and maths will be given every other week.

Hedgehogs and Squirrels will have a new library day this half term. Both classes will visit the library on a Friday. Please ensure that the children have their books on this day.

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.