



Next week in Year 1

Week Commencing: Monday 28th March 2022

Literacy	We will be continuing our new story, 'How to hide a lion at school' by Helen Stephens. The children will be learning about subordinating conjunctions and using them to expand on an idea. They will also be using interesting adjectives to improve on our writing.
Phonics and Spelling	This week, we will be continuing to work in our phonics groups and refreshing our sound knowledge from last week. The children will be applying their phonics and reading skills, reading red 'tricky' words and recognising pseudo (nonsense) words as well. They will also be reading multisyllabic words and breaking them up to aid in reading.
Maths	The children will be continuing to look at Place Value within 50. They will be learning to count in 2s and 5s as well as comparing different numbers against each other.
Challenge Time	For science, the children will be exploring different senses and trying to work out which objects are which without looking. They will be recapping their RE learning from the past term and continuing to practice their running skills in PE.
Homework	Please find the homework at the bottom of this sheet. Homework is due in on Wednesday 30th March. Please take a picture or video of your child's homework and upload it onto Tapestry.
Messages	Could you please ensure that your child is bringing a coat to school each day. Please can you ensure that any reading and book bag books sent home are returned on a Friday. Please can all children bring their P.E kits in ready for Monday. If you have any junk modelling items (e.g. plastic bottles, cardboard boxes, washed-out yoghurt pots, etc.) we would be grateful if you could bring them to school for the children to use. Thank you If you need to contact your child's teacher please email us at, sparnell@decoyschool.co.uk , esimpson@decoyschool.co.uk (Monday to Wednesday), hcammack@decoyschool.co.uk (Thursday and Friday)

What can you do at home?

Here are some optional ideas to support your child's learning at home.

- Read lots of different stories and talk about the characters. What do they look like? Do you like them? Why?
- Encourage any form of writing or phonics practice that your child can do.
- Test them on their number bonds to ten knowledge (numbers that add to 10)

For homework this week, we would like the children to choose a mystery item to describe using their senses without telling us what it is. Can we guess what the thing is?

E.g.,

It feels smooth

It tastes mushy

It looks yellow

It smells fresh

It makes a thud when I drop it.

It's a banana!

Please upload any completed work to Tapestry. We look forward to reading their clues!