



Next week in Year 1

Week Commencing: Monday 24th January 2022

Literacy	We will be finishing our current story and beginning a new one, 'Augustus and his smile' by Catherine Rayner. The children will be writing their own version of the story, mapping the story and acting out the actions of the character.
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.
Maths	The children will be finishing looking at addition and subtraction within 20 and will start to look at Weight and Volume. They will be looking at related number facts and will be practically measuring weights.
Challenge Time	The children will be thinking about where Jewish people worship in RE. For science, we will be grouping types of animals and thinking about which ones are vertebrates. In PSHE this week, we will be thinking about how to work well with a partner and being a helpful companion.
Homework	Please find the homework at the bottom of this sheet. Homework is due in on Wednesday 26th January. Please take a picture or video of your child's homework and upload it onto Tapestry.
Messages	<p>Could you please ensure that your child is bringing a coat to school each day.</p> <p>Please can you ensure that any reading and book bag books sent home are returned on a Friday.</p> <p>Please can all children bring their P.E kits in ready for Monday.</p> <p>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.</p> <p>There is a missing jumper from Wrens' class. Please could you check any jumpers at home and return it if it has been taken by accident. Thank you!</p> <p>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)</p>

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)

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In school, we have been looking at different types of settlement. For homework this week, we would like the children to design their own village, town or city and draw a picture of it (it does not have to be enormous!). We would like them to think what features they would like in their settlement; would their city have a cinema or football pitch? Does the village have a school? They could also think about how many people may live in that settlement as well. Please add any completed work to Tapestry. We look forward to seeing their scapes!