



Next week in Year 1

Week Commencing: Monday 15th November 2021

Literacy	We will be continuing our book this week, 'The High Street' by Alice Melvin. They will be applying their comma learning from this week to writing a list, then using adjectives to create noun phrases and learning how to write compound sentences.
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 continue to look at subtraction this week. The children will be subtracting a part from a whole, before looking at comparing addition and subtraction sentences to see which are greater or less.
Challenge Time	This week, we will be thinking of how we can learn from mistakes and make things better in RE, considering ways in which we are different from others and what makes us unique in PSHE. We will also be describing different materials using specific language for our science work.
Homework	Please find the homework at the bottom of this sheet. Homework is due in on Wednesday 17th November. 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@decoyhscool.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.

For homework this week, we would like the children to consider the differences between the toys that they have and toys from other generations. Could your child talk to an adult about the toys that they played with when they were in Year 1? Is anything the same or are the toys very different? Might they be different from what a grandparent may have played with?