



Week 10

Friday 22nd March 2019

## This Week

'Think 10' has been the focus of our maths sessions. When adding numbers such as 8 and 3 we have discussed splitting the 3 into 2 and 1.  $8+2=10$  and then  $10+1$  is much easier to work out.

We have also explored how if the ones don't make 10 then the tens number doesn't change e.g.  $13+6$   
 $3+6=9$   $9+10=19$ .

In English we have been working on our persuasion (watch out grown ups!) and the use of the prefix 'un'. We are going to write letters to the Prime Minister of Australia to persuade him to do more to save the Great Barrier Reef.

The shoe box animal habitats are finally finished! The children have spent 3 afternoons this week, researching, designing and making

them. They are so impressive and Mrs Kinnersley and I were super impressed with their determination and creativity.



## FYI

- Mad March Sale- Sunday 24th March
- Mr Berry will be joining the school on Monday as the new PE teacher and Year 1 TA on a Thursday and Friday
- Animal poems need to be learnt for Monday 25th March
- Sports Morning at St Helens Tuesday 2nd April



## Number Formation

We have been working hard on our number formation especially 5, 6, 8 and 9. We have been saying the rhymes as we write them to help us remember. Mrs Dunk has noticed that some of us are starting in the wrong place so please keep an eye and practice at home!

## Mrs Dunk's message

**WE WON THE GOLDEN TICKET!** Thank you for all the donations to the sweet tombola (Piper's mum you really helped us there-THANK YOU!) your child is bringing home a £1 coupon for the Mad March Sale on Sunday.

I am out all day on Wednesday and Thursday next week so Mrs James and Mrs Crellin will be taking Year 1.

Please make sure your child knows their animal poem off by heart for Monday so that they can perform it to the class!

