

Y1 Weekly Learning

w/c Monday 1st April 2019

Key Events/Messages

- ☺ Thank you to all parents and carers who were able to join Miss Bailey for the swimming meeting on Tuesday! Please do ensure you have completed the consent form ASAP along with payment
- ☺ **Community Safety Days:** $\frac{1}{2}$ of Class 4 and Class 5 on Wednesday 3rd April and $\frac{1}{2}$ of Class 4 and Class 6 on Thursday 4th April
- ☺ **Phonics Screening Meeting:** Thursday 4th April at 5.15pm and Friday 5th April at 9am
- ☺ We are missing quite a few 'Expert Badges' in all three classes that we give to children that have excelled at a particular skill in class so that they can help their friends. If your child has brought one of these home by accident, please can you make sure it is returned to school! Thank you!
- ☺ If you have any toilet/kitchen rolls at home, please send them into school as we will be using them in our Art lesson this week!

English

This week, children are going to be writing a story about a mixed up dinosaur they created on the iPads on Friday. They will be challenged to use their learning from last week to write a series of sentences that form a clear beginning, middle and end for their story. Before children write their own story, we will spend time as a class to come up with one together before children have the opportunity to plan their own story. When children are writing, we will be challenging them in line with the following objectives:



- ☺ Use phonic knowledge to segment words to spell correctly
- ☺ Write in full sentences that are demarcated with a capital letter and full stop
- ☺ Form lower case letters correctly and of the right size

It would really help your child if you could spend some time writing stories together so that they develop confidence and independence as a real life author! ☺

Spelling:

- ☺ Please continue to practice the following tricky words that were sent home last week:

Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday, Friday, Saturday, Sunday

Spelling Homework books need to be handed back in on Wednesday 3rd April 2019. Please do keep the books at home until this date so that children can continue to practice previous words sent home. New tricky words above will be sent home on Friday 5th April 2019

Phonics:

Over the next two terms, we will be having a huge focus on Phonics to ensure our children are confident readers and will focus on two sounds a week. Next week, we will be focussing on 'u-e: huge brute and 'oi: spoil the boy'. It would be great if you could challenge your child to read words containing these sounds at home as much as possible! The sheet given out at Parents/Carers Evening should help with this . . . please speak to your child's teacher if you need another copy.

Maths

This week, we will be focussing on doubling numbers to 10 and being able to recall these rapidly and fluently. We will move on to introducing division by looking at sharing a group of objects into equal groups.



Learn Its:

Encourage your child to explore the following calculation in lots of different ways [e.g. inverse, fact family, speed recall].

count in 5s to 50

1 x 10 = 10