



# The Hoot



## Year 1 Edition

Wb: 19.11.18

### Announcements & Reminders

#### Pantomime

Please can you return your slip for out pantomime Cinderella if you haven't done so already.

#### Homework

Homework is due back on Wednesday 28th November

#### Outdoors

Please can you make sure your child has a coat for playtimes. It's getting very cold and lots of bugs are going around!

#### Upcoming Events

Parents Evening- Monday 19th November

Pantomime- Friday 14th December

**Maths:** This week in maths we will begin looking at subtraction. We will begin by looking at subtraction pictorially and crossing out items when we are taking away. We will also introduce children to the subtraction sign and different vocabulary that is involved when subtracting.

**Useful vocabulary:** subtract, take away, minus, remove

**How you can support at home:** Over the next few weeks it is important for children to understand that when subtracting they need to put the greatest number at the beginning and not the end like in addition. Drawing counters when subtracting may help children as they can physically cross out to reach an answer.

**English:** This week we will be writing a recount based upon our 'Dance-a-thon' on Friday. We will begin the week by ordering pictures from the day and matching them with time connectives. By the end of the week we will have written a recount of the day!

**How you can support at home:**

If you are practising any writing at home you could encourage children to use different time connectives at the beginning of their sentences when ordering events.

**Phonics:** Miss Jones' & Miss Millward's groups: Phase 4, week 3. Reading cvcc and ccvc words including sounds: sp, st, tw, sm.

**Miss Dyson's group:** This week we will begin phase 4, including sounds st, nd, mp, nt

**Miss Trundle:** Revision of Phase 2 sounds and blending practise.

**How you can support at home:** There are some great games that the children enjoy, such as Buried Treasure, Picnic on Pluto, Sentence Substitution etc. You can find these interactive games on the following websites: [www.phonicsplay.co.uk](http://www.phonicsplay.co.uk) and [www.ictgames.com](http://www.ictgames.com)



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