

# **Year 1 Edition**

Wb: 21.10.19

# Announcements and Reminders

Children need coats in school every day as we have had a lot of rain but we like the children to get out as much as possible.

Please make sure your child has their book bag and reading books with them every day as we read as much as we can, not just on the children's book changing day.

Don't forget, there are lots of phonics resources on our school website that could help you support your child with phonics at home.

#### **Upcoming Events**

School breaks for a 1 week half term on Friday 25th. School reopens on Monday 4th November.

Global Day is coming on Friday 8th November.



Mathy: This week we will be comparing number bonds within 10 and working on addition.

Useful vocabulary: add, plus, more, equals, part, whole, number bonds, how many more to make...?

# How you can support at home:

Practically look at how many ways you can make 5, 67, 8, 9 or 10.

Use everyday objects to explore different number bonds, e.g., 4 grapes and 6 raisins make 10.

Which is bigger- 3 plus 2 or 5 plus 5?

English: This week we will continue to explore the story Beegu. We will be exploring his character in more detail by hot seating and writing our own version of the story.

## How you can support at home:

Ask your child to verbally retell the story of Beegu. Ask them what Beegu is like.

## Phonics:

We will are now looking at Phase 4. No new sounds are taught but we learn about reading and spelling words with common consonant clusters that come at the beginning of words. E.g. fr in frog, cr in crab, gr in green.

## How you can support at home:

Recapping sounds that have already been learnt will help the children as it is helping them to remember to embed and use these in their work.