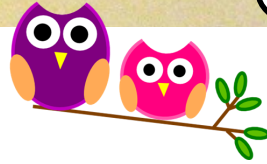




The Hoot



Year 1 Edition

Wb: 18.11.19

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

Wednesday 20th November—
Wear Blue for World Children's Day

Friday 22nd November— Year 1
Phonics Workshop

Wednesday 4th December—
'Wizard of Oz' Pantomime

Maths: This week we will be working on comparing and ordering numbers/objects to 20

Useful vocabulary: count, more, less, equal, greater, fewer, smaller, compare, symbol

How you can support at home:

Compare objects at home—who has the most snacks? Who has the fewest? Have a go at putting your family in order by age from smallest to greatest.

English:

This week we will continue to look at our new text, The Jolly Postman, and write a letter of our own.

How you can support at home:

See if your child can name all the characters in the story and what post they receive from The Jolly Postman.

Phonics: We will continue to look at and consolidate 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, eg. 'shr' in 'shred', 'scr' in 'screw' and 'str' in 'string'

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. Keep an eye out for Phase 4 sounds in any books you are reading at home.