

# Year 1 Edition Wb:20.1.20

# Announcements and Reminders

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

Also can you please ensure you sign your child's reading record as we cannot change their books unless it is signed. Thank you.

#### **Lowry Trip**

Please remember to use Parent Pay to pay for or give consent the Lowry Trip on Tuesday 28th January and let either the office or your class teacher know if you can help out on the day. Any help is greatly appreciated. Thank you.

#### 5p bottle

The PTA are raising funds through a 5p bottle in each class. If you have any spare 5p's we would greatly appreciate them. The class with the most will win a prize!

#### **Upcoming Events**

Tuesday 28th January—Year 1 Trip to Lowry.

Maths: This week we will be focusing on subtraction with numbers up to 20. We will be finding the difference between two numbers and solving problems linked to subtraction.

*Useful vocabulary:* subtraction, subtract, less than, fewer, difference, smaller, minus.

## How you can support at home:

Use everyday objects to practise subtraction within 20.

You have 15 pencils and you give away 6 of them, how many are left?

English: This week we are starting to read and respond to a story called 'The Adventures of Egg Box Dragon'. Before reading this story, we will predict what we think will happen as well as focus on vocabulary in the story. We will then look at the character of Egg Box Dragon in more detail.

How you can support at home:

Before you read a story, try to predict what you think will happen.

**Phonics:** This week we will continue to look at Phase 5 sounds.

This is where children learn new ways of writing a sound. We will recap the diagraphs we have done so far and also continue to practise the alternative long o vowel diagraphs e.g. ow as in snow, oe as in toe and o-e as in broke.

### 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 any of these sounds in books you are reading at home.