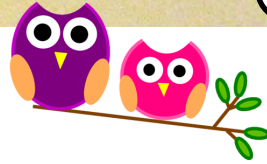




# The Hoot



Year 1 Edition

Wb: 10/02/20

## Announcements & Reminders

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.

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

The expectation is that you read with your child for at least 10 minutes every day please.

### 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!

*Maths:* This week we will continue to focus on numbers up to 50.

We will be looking at numbers that are one more and one less, ordering and comparing numbers.

*Useful vocabulary:* tens, ones, how many, together, add, more than, represent, count, identify, order.

*How you can support at home:*

Count forwards and backwards up to 50. Ask your child to write numbers up to 50 using the correct number formation. Look at how many tens and ones are in numbers up to 50.

*English:* This week we are continuing to work on our story 'The Adventures of Egg Box Dragon.' Our focus will continue our work on magpies and after gathering lots of interesting facts and information about magpies we will be writing fact files about them.

*How you can support at home:*

Ask your child to tell you any facts they already know about magpies. Use the internet or the library to find out further facts about magpies.

*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 work and practise the following diagraphs au as in 'launch', aw as in 'crawl' and ugh as in 'taught.'

*Reading strategy of the week:*

*Chunking*—Split up a word into smaller chunks by using your fingers to make windows around groups of letters.