



The Hoot

Year 1 Edition

Wb: 14.10.19

Announcements and Reminders

Children need their coat 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 the Year 1 curriculum page of our school website that could help you support your child with phonics at home.

Upcoming Events

Science Super Learning Week is next week! The children will spend some time in the other KS1 classes, so ask them what fun science investigations they have been getting up to!

Maths: This week we will be looking at number bonds within 10 and number bonds to 10 and how to work systematically.

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, 6, 7, 8, 9 or 10.

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

English: This week we will be looking at the story Beegu. We will be predicting what the story is about, acting out the story and imagining what Beegu's home planet is like.

How you can support at home:

Ask your child to verbally retell the story of Beegu. Ask them what ideas they have for what Beegu's home planet is like—encouraging them to use descriptive words.

Phonics:

We will be now looking at Phase 4. No new sounds are taught but we learn about reading and spelling words with common consonant clusters. Eg. st in nest, nd in hand, nk in bank

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.