

Weekly Learning Letter

Year 1 Home Learning

17.10.25

English and Drama

This week, we continued exploring the captivating collection of Anansi stories. The children took part in imaginative role play, where they embarked on a journey by boat from Ghana to the Caribbean.

Following their adventure, they shared their thoughts and reflections with clarity, expressing their experiences in creative and thoughtful ways.

Maths

In Maths our learning focus has been, comparing number to 20 and ordering numbers from 11 to 20. The key vocabulary that was introduced this week was: More than, less than, fewer than and the same.

Geography

This week in Geography, the children have been learning about the different seasons. They are beginning to understand Earth's movement and how the Sun gives us night and day and the seasons.

Computing

The children have been developing their keyboard navigation skills and continuing to practise using the mouse. They typed their names and saved their work using a paint program, then used the trackpad to draw self-portraits.

Black History Month



This week the children were learning about Dina Asher-Smith, Britain's fastest woman.

Show Racism the red card



On Friday we wore red in recognition and support of 'show racism the red card'.

Each one class had a discussion with their teacher about the importance of showing kindness towards others and treating everyone equally.

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Home learning ideas:

For home learning, you can...

Phonics:

Please practice reading and writing the following tricky words.

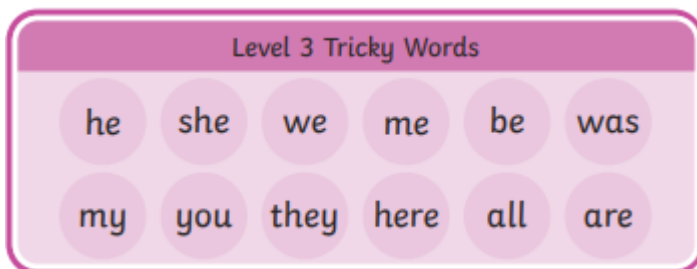
all, are, I, of, one, here, today.

Practise reading your phonics book with an adult at home.

Have a go at a game on phonics play [PhonicsPlay - Phase 3 Resources](#)



Tricky words - to read and write at home



Maths

Counting on, to and from 20. Follow the link and have a go at the maths quiz:

[Counting on to and back from 20 - KS1 Maths resources for Year 1 - BBC Bitesize](#)

Number formation rhymes -

Practice writing numbers from 0 to 10. Can you help your grown-ups to learn our number rhymes?



Number Formation 0 to 10 with Rhymes



Around to my left to find my hero, back to the top, I've made a zero.



A downward stroke, my that's fun. Now I've made the number one.



Half a heart says "I love you." Add a line. Now I've made the number two.



Around the tree around the tree now I've made the number three.

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Down and across and down once more, now I've made the number four.



Draw the hat, the back and the belly. It's a five. Watch out, it might come alive!



Bend down low to pick up sticks. Now I've made the number six.



Across the top and drop down low, you've made a seven, there you go.



Make an "S" and close the gate. Now you've made the number eight.



Make an oval and a line. Now I've made the number nine.



A downward stroke, that's my one. Add a zero, that's my number ten done!

Reminders

Resources

We are still in need of resources to support the children's learning, particularly in our outdoor area. Some resources that we need are:

funnels/ measuring cylinders

art straws

Small world animals

junk modelling

If you have any items you'd like to donate, please kindly pass them on to your child's class teacher.

OPAL Play

If you have any of the below items, unwanted we would greatly appreciate if they were donated to the school.












Thank you



Year 1



Get ready to play... OPAL BINGO

Laundry basket 	Suitcase 	Wooden spoons 	Action figures 	Plastic crates 
Dress up items 	Cars 	Dinosaurs 	Pans 	Plastic dolls 
Lego 	Small balls 	Scooter 	Plastic tubes 	Tarpaulin 
Beach spades 	Buckets 	Trowels 	Skateboard 	Cardboard tubes 
Guttering 	Wooden planks 	Helmet 	Aprons 	Chalk 

Have a fabulous and restful weekend!

The Year One Team