

Week beginning 16th January 2023

Ladybird Class Weekly Update

Next week:

We will be continuing our set 2 sounds. The children are finding these slightly tricky, so please do continue to look at them at home.

Our Guided read will be "Real life superheroes" by Julia Seal. We will look at the things we can do that makes us a "superhero" (example: being kind, helpful etc.). We will write using the keywords: I can be...

'I Can Build A Snowman' will be our new poem coming home this week.

In numeracy, we will be starting to look at the composition of numbers to 5 (number bonds!). We will be doing lots of practical examples of "splitting" numbers in order to make the whole number (example: 3 is a part, 2 is a part and 5 is the whole)

If you didn't send in a favourite book and you would like to, please do so, we will look at it

Please continue to send in library books each Friday.

Have a lovely weekend!

Butterfly Class Weekly Update

Next Week:

In English We will continue to learn how to write sentences, ensuring that we use a capital letter to start sentences, use finger spaces between words and a full stop to end sentences.

In Phonics we will be focusing on 'chatty friends' (split digraphs). Can you see if you can find any hiding in stories that you are making at home? For example: **cake, snake, bake, take, slime, smile, hope, mole, huge.**

In Maths, we will be learning more about place value (numbers within 20). This week focusing on completing, using and estimating on a number line. We will also be comparing and ordering numbers to 20.

In Science we will be learning to identify common UK birds and reptiles. Learning about how they are different to each other and about their features.

In Geography we will be learning about how the weather can be predicted and we will have a go at becoming weather forecasters ourselves!

In Art we will be continuing to think about sculpture, we will be creating our own sculptures!

In RE, we will

Our whole class guided reading will be reading the Gruffalo's child.

Hope you all enjoy your weekend!

Dragonfly Class Weekly Update

Next Week:

In English we will be writing a persuasive letter based on our focus text 'The Last Wolf' by Mini Grey.

In SPAG we will be looking at homophones.

In Maths, we will be moving onto a new unit, looking at money. We will be counting in pence, then pounds and pence. We will then make money amounts in pounds and pence.

In Science we will be investigating how sound travels and if it can pass through different materials.

In Geography we will be drawing conclusions from our weather diaries, and looking at the weather differences between the UK and countries near the equator and North and South Poles.

In Art, we will continue our unit on architecture and we will be looking at the work of Austrian visual artist and architect, Hundertwasser. We are lucky enough to have a Year 2 parent who is an architect, who will be coming into school to talk about his profession and share a model with the children. What a treat!

In RE, we will continue with our new unit - 'Why did Jesus tell parables'? We will look at the parable of 'The wise man and the foolish man' and reflect on the message within this parable.

Our whole class guided reading text will be *Paper Dolls* by Julia Donaldson.