

Week beginning 6th February 2023

Ladybird Class Weekly Update

Where has this half term gone? What a busy and productive half term it has been.

We have completed all of the set 2 sounds. Next week we will be revisiting all of the sounds and we will be writing words with different sounds in them. We will also be revisiting all of the red words learnt so far. Please continue to look at the words and sounds at home. We will be assessing the children on sounds and keywords next week.

Our guided reading is "Places of worship" We will be looking at different places of worship (concentrating on a church, a mosque and a synagogue).

The poem coming home this weekend is 'Furry Squirrel'.

Literacy, next week is phonics and keyword assessments (we will continue to write daily as our morning task!).

Our maths will be looking at the composition of numbers to 8 (using the part part whole model)

Have a restful half term.

Butterfly Class Weekly Update

Next Week:

In English, we will be writing independently, remembering to use skills that we have been practising, particularly - finger spaces, capital letters and full stops.

In Phonics, this week we will continue to learn, find and use set 3 sounds. We will particularly focus on these sounds this week – **igh, ire, ure** and **ear**.

In Maths, we will be learning to subtract numbers to 20. We will be using our number bonds, counting back and finding the difference.

In Science, we will be learning how to take care of an animal. Identifying what animals need. Why animals need taking care of and that different animals have different needs.

In Geography, we will be learning more about how the seasonal weather is different in a polar region is different to the weather in the United Kingdom.

In Art, we will be thinking about how we can use materials, tools, and ideas to invent models and sculptures.

In RE, we will be continuing to think about Shabbat and why Jewish people celebrate

Our whole class guided reading will be Jack and the Jelly Beanstalk

Hope you all enjoy your weekend!

Dragonfly Class Weekly Update

Next week is the Year 2 SAT's talk, live on TEAMS. The link for this will be sent out on Monday. Please do look out for it on your email.

Next Week:

In English we will be planning and writing our own stories. The children will be able to choose what their story will be about.

In Maths, we will be continuing to learn about multiplication. We will focus on recognising the multiplication symbol, using repeated addition to understand multiplication and using arrays to understand that multiplication is commutative. (i.e.) it doesn't matter what way round you do multiplication; you get the same answer!

In Science we will be exploring electrical circuits and finding out about how they work.

In Geography we will be re-visiting and consolidating our learning from this half term.

In RE, we will conclude our unit on 'Why did Jesus tell parables?'. We will recap all of the parables we have discussed this term and think about the messages in each one. We will then have a go at writing our own parables – thinking carefully about the message within them. We will do this through a storyboard (writing and pictures). Our final lesson will then be a drama-based lesson where the children will work in groups to act out one of the parables.

Our whole class guided reading will be Chicken Clicking by Jeanne Willis. This supports Internet Safety Week.

Have a lovely half term!