



## Year 1 Homework Letter - Friday 21<sup>st</sup> September

Another busy week in Year 1!

### English

This week we have finished reading 'Stanley's Stick'. We have been writing sentences about different stages of the story. Then we moved on to writing a story board about 'Stanley's Stick' by choosing key pictures from the story and writing a description of each scene. Finally, we chose our own object and thought about what it would be and how we would use it. This story has been an introduction to the way we teach Reading and Writing in Year 1. Next week we move onto 'Cave Baby'.

During Phonics we are re-capping the Phase 3 phonemes and this week we have practised the digraph 'sh' moving onto 'j.' I enclose a copy of the Phase 3 sounds should you want to practise them ahead of learning them in the classroom. I know some children have learnt some already - well done!

### Maths

During our Maths starter this week we have been counting to 50! We wrote the numbers out so we could see their progression. Our main focus has been finding more than and less than 1 for a given number up to 20. The children have been writing number sentences in their books. Please continue to practise writing numbers to 20 and beyond if you can!

### Homework

Homework will be set every Friday and should be returned the following Wednesday. While we are waiting for our MyMaths logins, homework will be in books. This week, there is a worksheet on adding 1 and subtracting 1. We appreciate that homework is new to Year 1 but please make every effort to complete it - it helps to consolidate our learning for this week.

### Things to remember

Clubs start wc 24<sup>th</sup> September  
Harvest Festival is  
Wednesday 3<sup>rd</sup> October  
Friday 5<sup>th</sup> November Year 1  
Cake Sale  
HALF TERM 22<sup>nd</sup> to 26<sup>th</sup>  
October  
School Photographer Monday  
12<sup>th</sup> November  
Parents' Evenings  
Tuesday 27<sup>th</sup> to Thursday 29<sup>th</sup>  
November  
Nativity Wednesday 12<sup>th</sup> and  
Thursday 13<sup>th</sup> December

### Harvest Service 3<sup>rd</sup> October 9.30am

As you will know from Miss Woods' newsletter, our Love Project this term will focus on supporting homelessness. We will be joining with Christ Church who are supporting a local charity called Renewed Hope Trust. The church's PCC have asked that the children bring in one type of item in each class.

**Year 1 have been asked to bring in packets of biscuits.** Please could items be handed in by the children to the either myself or Mrs Vaughey not to the office please. The items will be delivered to church and will be offered as part of the Harvest service. Thank you so much for your support! We look forward to seeing many of you there. All are welcome.

Have a lovely weekend,  
Mrs Cordey, Mrs Vaughey and Mrs Fowler (Year 1 Team)