Year 1 Homework Letter – Friday 1st February 2019

English

Once we finished our moon factfiles – we started a new book. I can't reveal the name of it yet, but it all began with us finding an alien crash site on the field! The children have been investigating what it could be…

During Phonics this week we have again been learning about alternative pronunciations, for example, different phonemes for the grapheme 'a' which can we read as:
'ai' **a**corn
'a' **a**pple
'o' wh**a**t
'or' w**a**ter

Then we learnt that the grapheme 'ow' which can be read as 'ow' as in cow and 'ow' as in snow.

Maths

Firstly, we have recapped how to subtract two and one digit numbers on a number line. Then we learnt how to solve missing number problems:
12 - ? = 5
We have been solving these problems by counting on from the smaller number to the larger number.

Also we have learnt about fact families:

Finally, we learnt how to compare numbers using greater than, less than and equals, eg 9 < 12 and 15 > 21.

Homework this week

Maths is a worksheet on place value and ordering and comparing numbers.

There are 10 more spellings this week – this week the focus is 'ea' as in reach and 'ie' as thief.

Things to remember

Friday 8th February 2019 - PTFA Quiz Night (7.30 pm)
Monday 18th – Friday 22nd February
SPRING HALF TERM
Monday 1st March – St David's Day
4th to 8th March – Book Week

Please note we are once again running our '**Tin-a-Week' Loveworks project** so if you are able to donate any non-perishable food items they will be very much appreciated.

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