



Year 1 Homework Letter - Friday 17th September

What a lovely week we have had!

English

This week we have finished reading 'Cave Baby'. The story, about a naughty boy who lives in a cave, it's about dreams and imagination. So far we have learnt about adjectives and how to write a noun phrase eg. the funny, hairy hyena. Then we rewrote sentences from the story adding in capital letters and full stops.

We really enjoyed acting out the story in small groups adding in key words and phrases.

Reading books will be changed 3 times a week on a Monday, Wednesday and Friday. Please read with your child every evening if you are able for 10-15 minutes, I understand how busy everyone is, but it will be invaluable with regards to how quickly they progress with their reading.

Maths

We started the week comparing numbers up to 20 using the words 'more than' and 'fewer'. Then we learnt how to find one more and one less. We started this practically outside using a very large plastic number line. Then we continued our learning inside. We are finding one more easier than one less, but some children have moved onto larger numbers.

We are working on writing the correct number formation. I have included a sheet to practise these at home. I also include details of a video we use in class which the children enjoy.

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=wuxu6Qsaq5I&safe=active>

Things to remember

Thursday 7th October Harvest service at Christ Church

Extra bank holiday Friday 22nd October

HALF TERM 25th to 29th October

Year One Phonics meeting Wednesday 24th

November 3.30-4.30pm

Inset day Monday 26th November

Parents' Evenings Tues 30th November to

Friday 3rd December

Nativity Monday 13th December 2pm and

Tuesday 14th December 2pm

Homework

Homework will be set every Friday and should be returned the following Wednesday. I have attached the Purple Mash login for some homework. Please just explore the site with your child this week and use it as a fun-interactive cross curricular learning platform.

Have a lovely weekend,

Mrs Matthews, Mrs Kendall, Mrs Vaughey/Mrs Fowler (Year 1 Team)