



Weekly Learning Letter

Year One – Week Commencing 27th June

<p>This week in Year One...</p>	<p>We have had an AMAZING week this week for Creative Arts Week and Sports Day today! The children have been working incredibly hard on creating their very own Rainforest inspired art work using recycled materials. We cannot thank you all enough for your generosity and support in helping us create this! Pictures of them will be put up onto Seesaw over the weekend and also onto the school website too.</p>
<p>Reminder</p>	<p>As the weather is getting warmer could we please ask that children bring in a cap/sunhat if it is sunny, and could sun cream please be put on the children before they come into school.</p> <p><u>Pirate Party Day</u> – We are very pleased to say that we will be hosting our very own Pirate Party on Wednesday 20th July. The children can come into school dressed as a Pirate. We will be completing some really fun activities linked to pirates. We cannot wait to PAAAARTYY!</p>
<p>Partnered Reading</p>	<p>In Partnered Reading this week the children have been looking at three different books. We have allocated each book to the children on Bug Club so that the children can show you how much they have progressed in their reading throughout the week. Ask your child which book they have read this week.</p> <p>We have continued with the same books:</p> <p>The Queen’s Plan Animal Skeletons Giant George and The Robin Mulan</p>
<p>Maths</p>	<p>This week the children have spent some time looking at adding up the value of coins. The children have worked on using their knowledge of counting in 2s, 5s and 10s in order to work this out. We are so impressed with how the children have been working on this!</p>
<p>English</p>	<p>This week the children have been working hard on the ‘Pirates Next Door’ oral text. The children have been working on creating their own story mountain, working out the 5 parts of the story (opening, build up, problem, solution and ending).</p>

	<p>You can listen to the book aloud on Youtube and you can find the link here: https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=QamzY39CT6o</p>
Phonics	<p>The children have been working on their spellings this week. The children have been learning the best bet spellings for 'er'. The children have been playing games as well as word sorting. You can access many of these games on Phonics Play or Phonics Bloom.</p> <p>https://www.phonicsplay.co.uk/resources/phase/5/alt-spellings-oo</p> <p>https://www.phonicsbloom.com/uk/game/list/phonics-games-phase-5</p>
This week's spellings	<p>This week the children's spellings are spellings from throughout the year. Please feel free to look back in your child's reading diary to practise any others that you feel your child needs to work on.</p> <p>We are concentrating on our tricky words this week:</p> <p>Could, asked, people, called, Mrs.</p>

To support your child's learning at home this week you could...

Spellings – Rainbow Spellings

Choose as many different colours as you can to create your spellings. You could even do bubble spellings if you want to!

Phonics

Keep practising your phonics on some fun games at home this weekend. Phonics Play and Phonics Bloom are brilliant. You might even be able to find some apps to help you too.

<https://www.phonicsbloom.com/>

<https://www.phonicsplay.co.uk/>

<https://www.topmarks.co.uk/english-games/5-7-years/letters-and-sounds>

Science

- Can you conduct an investigation in your garden, finding out how many petals the flowers have.

Activities:

- You could create your own piece of Rainforest Art related to your favourite animal.
- Watch the David Attenborough 'Our Planet' series on the television.
- Create a fact file about your favourite animal.

Music: The children had a special Drumming Workshop this week and were amazed at the sounds they could make with just their hands.

- Can you create some drumming beats using sticks or your hands on objects from around your house?