



Weekly Learning Letter

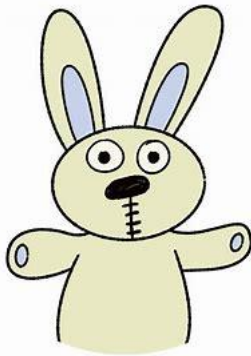
Year One – Week Commencing 13th November 2022

This week in Year One...	<p>In art this week we have started our new topic on printing. We started off by doing some research on different types of printing techniques and patterns, thinking about the colours, textures, layout, and tools used. We then used clay to create our own leaf prints tiles, which will be fired on the kiln.</p> <p>We finished our PSHE unit on celebrating difference and talked about how we can make new friends. We thought about our own personal qualities and what makes us a good friend.</p>
Reminder	<p>Our PE days are now on Tuesday. Can children please come to school wearing their PE kits.</p> <p>This half term, we will be swimming on a Wednesday. Each Wednesday, please send the children to school with their swimming kit underneath their PE kit. In a separate bag, please pack a towel and swimming hat. Goggles are optional. We ask that children wear trunks or tankinis – the children wear these all day, so one-piece swimsuits make it very difficult for the children to go to the toilet.</p>
Maths	<p>In maths, we concluded our learning of addition and subtraction by comparing different number sentences using inequality symbols. We then started our new learning on shape. We learned the names of 2D and 3D shapes and sorted them into groups based on their different properties.</p>
English	<p>In English this week we have continued to look at our class text Knuffle Bunny. We have written sentences focusing on the use of capital letters, full stops and using 'and' to join two sentences. We created a 'lost' poster for Knuffle bunny, adding adjectives to describe what it looks like and then looked in detail at the five main parts of the story, orally retelling the story and creating a story mountain.</p>
Phonics	<p>In phonics this week we have been revisiting all of our phase 5 phonemes that we learnt last half term, as well as focusing on this week's sound: ew, ue, u-e and the short 'oo' sound – u and oul. We have read different words and sentences containing these sounds and then applied this knowledge to our writing.</p>
This week's spellings:	<p>You will find this week's spellings have been stuck in your child's reading diary. Please help your child learn their spellings ready for their first Big Spell at the end of this term.</p>

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

English: Have another listen to our story 'Knuffle Bunny' with your grown up. Can you write a letter to Trixie reminding her to take care of her bunny. Think about how you would start your letter and where your capital letters and full stops need to go.

<https://youtu.be/MhZevR8NReQ>



Maths: Go on a shape hunt! Which 2D and 3D shapes can you find around your home?

