



# Weekly Learning Letter

Year One – Week Commencing 23<sup>rd</sup> November 2020

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| <p><b>This week in Year One...</b></p> | <p>The children have had another fantastic week! The children have enjoyed learning all about bulbs and have planted some tulip bulbs in the Wildlife Garden at school. The children will watch and see how they grow throughout the Winter. We will be growing a hyacinth within the classrooms for the children to see what happens daily.</p>   |
| <p><b>Partnered Reading</b></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>Flying High<br/>Baby-sitting Barney<br/>The Fox and the Ducks</p>    |
| <p><b>Reminder</b></p>                 | <p>Please ensure that your child has bought in their Christmas Production outfit by the middle of next week at the latest. All children that need to bring in an outfit have been given a slip inside the children's reading diaries.</p>  |
| <p><b>Maths</b></p>                    | <p>In Maths this week we have been learning all about Shapes! The children have been investigating and sorting both 2D and 3D shapes. We have been looking at finding real-life objects from around the classroom that are a 3D shape we have learnt about e.g. a football is a sphere etc.</p>  |
| <p><b>English</b></p>                  | <p>In English this week the children have been innovating the story of Knuffle Bunny. The children have changed their character in the story as well as the toy that they lose. The children were also able to innovate where the toy had gone missing. The children have then written out their story in full, using the story hand that they created at the beginning of the week.</p> |
| <p><b>Phonics</b></p>                  | <p>This week in Phonics the children have been learning the alternative pronunciation of 'or'.</p> <p>The children have learnt '<b>aw</b>' in <b>claw</b>, '<b>au</b>' in '<b>August</b>', and '<b>al</b>' and '<b>our</b>' in '<b>tall</b>' and '<b>pour</b>'.</p>  |

**This week's spellings:**

*This week's spellings are:*

*Toy, push, pull, old, new (some of the words this week may link to the 'oo' alternatives from Phonics last week).*

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

**Spelling** - Have a go at your spellings using rainbow spellings



**Speed Challenge** – how many addition and subtraction number sentences can you write up to 10.

**English** – Have a go at retelling your innovated story to your favourite toy. How much of it can you remember?