

Year 1 - Week Commencing 1st October 2018



Maths

Maths this week will be introducing addition and subtraction. We will be looking at a variety of learning objectives, including:

- Add and subtract one-digit and two-digit numbers to 20
- Solve simple one-step problems that involve addition and subtraction

Please encourage your child to add and subtract at home using physical objects - this can be anything from the number of beans left on their plate to all the toys they have on the floor.



English

In English we are finishing our narrative unit based on 'Lost and Found' and the children will be given the chance to create a story of their own, similar to our class story but with different characters and setting.

We will then be moving on to a non-fiction unit all about animals. We will be researching different animals to see what we can learn about them, using iPads and books.

Theme

We will continue our learning based upon our theme - called 'Penguins, Possums and Pigs'. We ran out of time last week before the children had chance to design their own animal so we should finish that this week in science.

In Geography the children will continue to explore the world using maps and small globes; we will be comparing the types of animals which live in hot or cold countries and looking at what makes them suited to those environments.

In art this the children will have the chance to use clay and to create a penguin of their own.

Extras

Again, the children will bring home their **Spelling Record Book** which will have this week's word list for the children to learn, along with an activity sheet to help them to learn. There is space in the Spelling Record Book for them to practise their spellings at home.

This week's **maths homework** is called '**Rainy Daze**', which is a games based on addition of pairs of numbers. This is to be completed online using the ActiveLearn website.

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

PE will again be on Monday and Friday this week - Monday with me and Friday with our sports coach, Phil. Please ensure your child has a full P.E. kit in school all the time.