



Year 1 Weekly News

13th September 2019

This week we have:

- Formed some lowercase letters correctly.
- Counted one more and one less to 10/20.
- Created our own concertina crocodiles.
- Explored our senses.
- Explored the human life cycle.
- Discussed who is important to Christians and why.

Next week we will be:

- Retelling a familiar story using a text map and drama, describing characters from a familiar story and recognising/naming uppercase letters in English.
- Comparing groups of objects and numbers using $<$, $>$ and $=$ in maths.
- Creating our own mixed media masks in art.
- Identifying and labelling different animal body parts in science.
- Discussing what animals and babies need to grow in PSHE.
- Linking a series of movements together AND mastering running around/through different objects in P.E.

Homework

This week's maths homework is all about counting one more and one less (to 10). Please ensure homework is back in school by Friday 20th September.

Spelling labels are in reading records!

Further information

Below is our current reading age/colour book band chart:

The reading age/book band colours are based on each child's ability to read different words, **not** their understanding of the text. Their understanding of texts (comprehension skills) is developed through daily guided reading sessions,

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questioning at home when reading with your child and checked through PIRA assessments 3 x a year.

Book Band Colour	Reading Age
Red	5.0 - 5.5
Yellow	5.6 - 5.11
Dark Blue	6.0 - 6.5
Green	6.6 - 6.11
Pink	7.0 - 7.5
Black	7.6 - 7.11
Link 1	
Light Blue	8.0 - 8.5
Link 2	
Orange	8.6 - 8.11
Link 3	
Purple	9.0 - 9.5
Grey	9.6 - 9.11
Free Reader	10.00 upwards

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