Horn's Mill Primary School

Team 3 Autumn Home Learning

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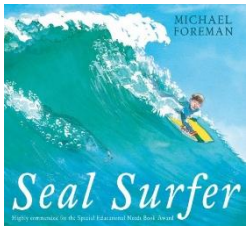
This half term, our learning theme is: *Travels and Traditions*

The text we will be using to support this learning is:
A1: The Seal Surfer by Michael Foreman
A2: Winter's Child by Angela Mcallister/Grahame Baker-Smith





You can support your child's learning at home in the following areas:

Maths



This term we will be learning: Multiplication and Division and Subtracting ones, tens and hundreds.

We will use 3-digit numbers and explore what happens when we subtract ones, tens or hundreds from this. We will investigate when and if renaming takes place.

Children are encouraged to use equipment to solve problems, before moving onto pictorial ways to solve and then more abstract methods.

They will continue to use number lines, part-whole models and Dienes blocks before moving onto column method for subtraction.

This link may support subtraction understanding:
How to use column subtraction - BBC Bitesize

Times Tables

This half term we will be learning the following times tables and the corresponding division facts:

2, 5, 10, 3, and 4

For example:
2 x 3 = 6
3 x 2 = 6
6 divided by 2 = 3
6 divided by 3 = 2

It will support your child's Maths to use TTRockstars for at least 15 minutes a week. They can also practise using https://www.topmarks.co.uk/maths-games/hit-the-button They will have a times tables lesson every week to monitor and support their progress.

Spelling



We will be learning the following common exception words this term:

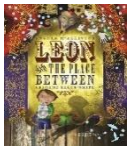
busy, Christmas, child, children, clothes, everybody, father, money, people, parents, thought, important .

Recommended to read together for this topic:

Great Adventurers by Alistair Humphreys



Leon and the Place Between by Angela Mcallister/ Grahame Baker-Smith



Children are encouraged to **read for 10 minutes, 5 times a week at home** and to **record this in their reading record at least once per week.**

Reading

Our spotlight authors this term are:

A1: Yuval Zommer and Nicola Davies




A2: Serena Patel and Richard O'Neill




They have lots of amazing books, celebrating to diversity and inclusion.

Download the BorrowBox app to download and read books free from the library.
https://apps.apple.com/app/borrowbox-library/id562843562

The link below explains how to register for this app
https://www.cheshirewestandchester.gov.uk/residents/libraries/audio-downloads-eBooks-and-eMagazines.aspx

If you would like to enrich learning further, here are some suggested practical activities:

- Visit and explore your one of our local coasts or rivers and see what you can find! You could even create a piece of artwork inspired by your trip!
- Write your own short story that includes the theme of diversity and inclusion.
- Choose a religion and research a festival or celebration for it (e.g. Judaism and Hanukah, Hinduism and Diwali). Produce a poster or fact-sheet.

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