

Week Beginning 11th May 2026

Another action packed week in Class 1 with lots of learning taking place.

The children are now really pushing / challenging themselves to get ready for their next year group. I have been impressed with their attitude towards reading, writing and maths. We still have lots of fun though in Class 1. We make the most of our beautiful outdoor learning area every-day and enjoy taking part in extra- curricular learning such as Lego day, celebrating Sir David Attenborough's 100th birthday and a Joe Wicks live workout!



Whole class PSHE learning—The children have been learning how to stay safe. They talked about asking permission for hugs for example and learned about the 'Underpant Rule.'

The children discussed different

scenarios and how to tell a grown up if you are worried.

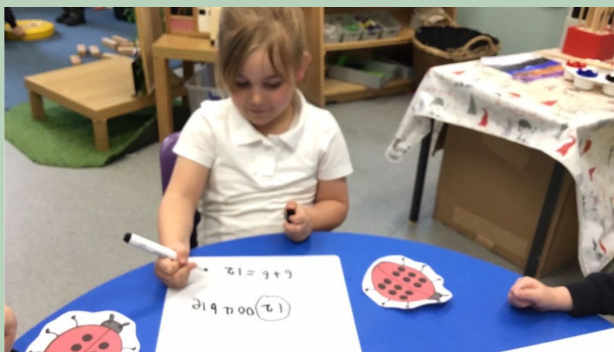


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Maths this week has been counting, recognising, writing numbers to 10 for some and 20 for those that are ready in Reception. The Reception children have loved playing dominoes this week too. They are brilliant to use for counting, doubles and number bonds too!

The Key Stage 1 children have continued to tackle fractions. Year 1's have been finding $\frac{1}{2}$ and $\frac{1}{4}$ of shapes initially and now fractions of amounts. The Year 2 children have worked on $\frac{1}{2}$, $\frac{1}{3}$ and $\frac{1}{4}$ and thought about unit and non-unit fractions.

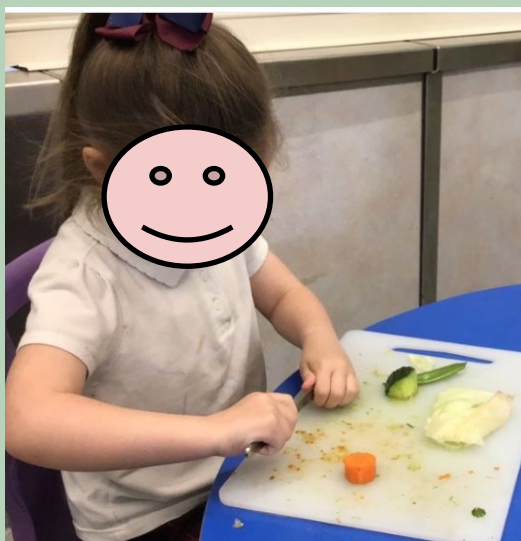
Homework—This week's homework will focus on number bonds as children need to be confident in the foundations of maths. Please continue to encourage your child to try to complete the task.



Reception practising their recognition of on-sight tricky words from phase 3. We are going to become EXCELLENT readers!



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Using our fine motor skills to chop, cut, slice, peel and sort fruit and vegetables whilst making Peter Rabbit a salad! We then wrote about what we did.

Outdoor learning area



This week the children (all year groups not just Reception) have been using their finger muscles to chalk the chalk boards before spraying and wiping them clean with our new sprayers and sponges. Such a simple activity but it was so popular with children queuing to have a go!



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The children have LOVED making potions at the 'potion station' using natural materials such as flowers, twigs, moss and coloured water.

