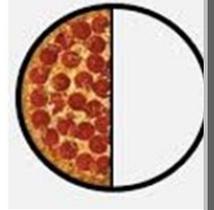




Year 1 Learning Journey

Week beginning: 16th March 2020



The week, our English lessons will continue to be linked to the story 'Handa's surprise'.

During this week the children will be reading the story of Handa's surprise. They will be learning to sequence events from the story by ordering pictures and retelling the story in their own words.

The children will be acting out the story to make sure they have a really good understanding of the plot.

The children will then begin to plan their own version of the story ready to write it the following week.

This week, our Maths lessons will focus on fractions.

The children will be introduced to the fractions $\frac{1}{2}$ and $\frac{1}{4}$, written as both numbers and words. They will begin the week by finding half and quarter of different shapes. This knowledge will then be transferred to calculating half and quarter of numbers. We will be linking this learning to the division work we completed recently. At the end of the week the children will be encouraged to use their knowledge to solve real life problems. For example, *Mrs Dyde has 20 grapes. She gives half to Mrs Miles. How many do they have each?*

Phonics sounds of the week:

Alternative Pronunciations

u (as in oo e.g. push)

ow (as in oa e.g. grow)

ea (as in e e.g. head)

ie (as in ee e.g. thief)

Key words of the week:

push pull

Please note the children are expected to be able to read and spell these words by the end of Year 1.



We are regularly washing our hands at school. Please talk to your child about the importance of this at home.

Things to remember -

- Please ensure your child's PE kit has warm clothes as we do PE outside each week.
- Trainers/plimsols are essential for PE lessons.

Bear Class assembly is on Thursday 19th March at 9.05am in the Infant Hall. We hope to see you there.