

Year One Weekly update

Friday 9th November 2018



Topic

This week in Topic we learnt about windmills as part of our wonderful weather topic. We designed and made our own windmills on Friday.

English

We had a break from our new book this week to focus on our handwriting! I have noticed that most of the children are still forming their letters incorrectly (starting in the wrong place or rushing). We have tried really hard to learn how to form most letters correctly this week but still need lots of help! Please help your child to practise this at home and ALWAYS correct them when you see them forming a letter incorrectly as this helps to break the pattern and help them improve.

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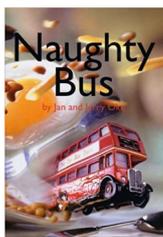
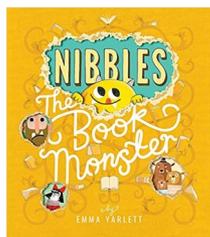
This week we enjoyed lots of firework themed challenges in the backroom! We made marks in glitter, created firework pictures and wrote about our own firework experiences. We have had lots of fun acting out in our new bonfire shop role play area. We completed adding challenges in the maths area and used tweezers on the funky fingers table to help strengthen our hand muscles.

Maths:

In maths we learnt how to work systematically to write number bonds for numbers up to and including 10. The children are able to work this out confidently using resources. Please practise number bonds to 10 with your child at home to help them to be able to recall these facts mentally.

Reading:

In RIC this week we read..



Phonics:

This week we continued to work on reading split diagraphs. We are now much more confident in identifying split diagraphs and reading words with them.

Homework:

This week the children should practice forming their letters. I have included a sheet with helpful rhymes to help the children remember where to start. They should practice their letters on the next blank page in their homework books. They should also try to learn their Reading Eggs login and password as it makes using Reading Eggs much easier at both home and school. Have a great weekend - Love Miss O'Brien x

Messages:

On Monday KS1 will be going to the Phoenix Cinema in Muswell Hill to watch a collection of Julia Donaldson stories as a treat. They can bring a **small** snack and drink to have in the cinema. We will be leaving after registration and returning before lunch. The children **DO NOT** need a packed lunch as they will be eating lunch at school.