

Year 1

24th September 2021

We are pleased to know that the children are really improving in remembering to do their homework using Google Classrooms. Thank you!

The weather has changed. Please, could you ensure that your child has a school jumper and a coat. We would also like to remind parents to ensure that children wear the correct P.E kits on PE days.

This week in Literacy, the children have been learning about predicting an ending to a story and then comparing the endings to the ending of the book. Looking at what was the same and what was different.

In numeracy, the children have been learning about number bonds and how to find all the numbers bond of a number in a systematic way.

Number bonds of 5:

$$5+0=5$$

$$4+1=5$$

$$3+2=5$$

$$2+3=5$$

$$1+4=5$$

$$0+5=5$$

In phonics, each sound that has been taught in phonics lessons is practised over and over again until children can read words by blending the sounds they have learnt. The children are taught to use their fingers to help them spell the words; we call this 'Fred fingers'. A finger is raised for each sound the children hear and the fingers are closed together and down as the sounds are blended to form the word. When your child is reading at home you may see them raising their fingers as they sound out the words.



Thank you,

The Year One Team.

