



Year 1 Hedgehogs Spring Second Half

Welcome to our topic letter for the spring term second half!

Homework

Homework is sent home on a Monday and is to be returned on a Friday. This consists of a piece of English or Maths/Phonics/handwriting practice and a reading book. Please aim to read the allocated phonic book with your child a minimum of 3 times per week. These books have been carefully selected to match the learning that has taken place in phonic lessons the previous week and the children should be reading these books to you. Please note the title may not be decodable and require your support.

There is also an additional 'Reading for Pleasure Book' which your child will have chosen. This requires your support with the sounds that they may not have yet covered in class.

Brain Builders/ Creative homework which is set at the beginning of each half term consists of a range of creative tasks which the children can choose from. It is connected to their learning over the half term.

Maths

In Maths the children will be extending their learning of place value and addition and subtraction up to 20 and moving onto explore length and Height.



English

In English the children will be studying Traditional Tales: such as Little Red Riding Hood, Diamonds and Frogs as well as other famous tales and be creating recounts in their writing.

PE

PE is held on Tuesday and Wednesday afternoons. Please can you ensure that your child has their kits in school on those days.

The children will be learning fundamental movement skills.

Music	Pulse rhythm and pitch
Geography	The four countries that make up the United Kingdom.
History	Changes within living memory.
RE	Judaism
Science	The changing Seasons
PSHE	Being Healthy – Sun safety.
Art and Design	Creating self portraits in a variety of media.

Happy Minds



The theme for this half term is Respect.

General Information

If there is anything that you need to ask or discuss, please don't hesitate to come and see us.

Thankyou – From the Hedgehogs Team