



19th September- 23rd September 2022

Dear Parents and Children,

Thank you for all the returned reading folders, books and Homework this week. On Thursday I sent home two phonic books, one which we have practised in our reading sessions and one other new book. All books need to be returned on a Monday.

Monday- New Phonics book to read and a Library Book to share.

Tuesday- Maths Homework and spelling activity given out.

Thursday- English Homework given out. Reading Practice Book goes home.

Homework may be set on Purple Mash, but I will let you know when this happens.

The children are fantastic with the Year 1 routines and are very organised! They have all been superstars!

Many Parents have asked if 'Evidence Me' is used in Year one. I use it as a way of capturing their learning in some Curriculum areas such as Art, DT, Music or PE. It is not used as a way of communicating with yourselves as Google classroom is used. Evidence of children's learning is written in a work book! Please if you have any queries don't hesitate to email me.

In Maths we have just started addition, making number bonds to 10. A number bond is a number fact for e.g.  $4+3=7$ ,  $5+2=7$ . The children have been working very hard.

Our story writing focus these past two weeks has been 'The Train Ride'. The children have taken part in role-play and wrote their own stories of an exciting train Ride. Some children went to Jurassic World to see the dinosaurs or off to London to have tea with Paddington Bear!

The children love singing using our 'Charanga' music programme and using their bodies to move to the beat or the 'pulse' of the songs we are learning. Next week, the children will be learning some rapping!

I hope you and your families have a lovely weekend.

Mrs Furness



