



Year 1 Weekly Update
Week ending 16th October 2020



Personal, Social and Emotional Development

As part of our story, The Bear and the Piano, we have been exploring feelings. We have thought about the feelings that the Bear has during the story and why he feels this way.

Communication and Language

This week, we have been answering some tricky questions and thinking 'outside the box'! We have discussed '*what rules would you make if you were headteacher for the day?*' and '*if you had to build your house from something other than bricks, what would it be and why?*'

Phonics + Literacy

In phonics this week, we have recapped the 'ure', 'air' and 'ear' sounds, which we learnt are trigraphs – three letters that make one sound! We have had lots of fun sorting real and alien words using these sounds!

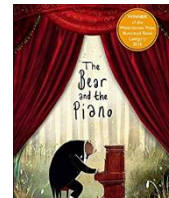
Miss Slack-Humphrey is very proud of her phonics group, who have worked really hard on their blending!

In our writing this week, we have been writing a postcard, pretending we are the Bear from the story!



Mathematics

This week we have been ordering numbers. We have ordered groups of objects from smallest to greatest and begun to explore what an 'ordinal' number is!



Reading + PE

Please continue to read with your children at home – we can really see the difference in their confidence and fluency in school!

Please remember that PE will take place every Wednesday – your child should come in their PE kit for the whole day!

At home

Please read as often as you can with your child and upload their learning to ReallySchool.

Write some words using the sounds we have learnt this week – make some of them 'alien' words and some of them real words – can you sort them by which are real or alien?

Use number cards to make a number line to 10 or 20! Take a number out – can your child spot which one you have taken?

Next Week...

Our focussed book next week will be...

The Selfish Crocodile

(<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=tB60DlZh4GI>)

Next week, our learning will be based on the Selfish Crocodile, a story about a crocodile who doesn't always help other animals!

We will be learning about how to look after our teeth and what we can do to keep them healthy!

