

English

We are focussing on practising tricky letters in our handwriting at the moment. We are using different resources and sensory trays to practise before writing these in our books. This week our focus has been g and q and making sure these letters sit in the correct place on the line.

We are also doing many fine motor activities to strengthen our fingers and our pencil grip.



RE-Catholic Social Teaching

We focused on the Creation story and what God created each day. We are learning that this is a prayerful and poetic story in Genesis, the first book of the Bible. We went on a wonder walk to spot God's beautiful creations outside and we drew the Creation story in our books.

The Prayer Book will start to come home as of next week.

Please remember to bring the prayer book back into school the next day so you can share your prayer with the class.

Eco Council and School Council

Congratulations to Luca and Peaches who will represent Y1 on the Eco Council, and to Oscar and Leyla who will represent Y1 on the School Council this Year.

Daisy was chosen as our first Class Ambassador.

Maths- Place Value

This week we have started to recognise numbers as words and practised our counting on from any number up to 10. We also practised 1 more than using sentence stems such as:

1 more than 6 is ____

8 is 1 more than ____

1 more than ____ is 5.

Next week we will be counting backwards within 10 from any number, learning about 1 less, and learning about fewer, more, same.

Spellings

Spellings this week. There will be an informal quiz on Thursday:

tail
boot
hard
right
join

Phonics and reading

We continued to review known digraphs this week: air, er, s /z/. We also practised -s and -es at the end of words such as fears and fizzes.

Children brought home their new reading record books today. Please record all the reading you do with your child. Almost all children were sent home with the book they have read in class this week. If your child did not bring a new book home, we are waiting for the previous book to be returned.

Please bring it in on Monday. Please ensure reading pouches are in bags daily so we can record the reading we do at school. Any questions just catch me at the door at pick up.

PE - Fundamentals

This week we practised adjusting our speed. We pretended to be racing cars as we went from a slow walk and moved up through the gears to a fast sprint.

Science

We started our topic, Seasons. We learned that there are four seasons and that the weather is different in each one. We played weather bingo and made weather icons for our Seasons mobile for the classroom.

Year One

St. Bernadette of Lourdes



Gold Book:



Luca



*For amazing
listening and
behaviour this week.
Well done!*

Class book share: Every week the winner of the Gold Book is invited to share their favourite book with the class. This week's book share was Pippa who brought in her favourite book, the Little People, Big Dreams book all about Taylor Swift.

Next week's book share: Luca