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Coming up next week...

17.06.24

Maths

In Maths, we will be starting a unit on money. We will introduce the children to the term 'unitising' which helps them understand for example a 5 pence coin represents five 1 pence coins. One item does not need to represent a value of one. Then we will identify and recognise British coins and then look at notes.

Maths Homework

As the children have less and less exposure to coins in everyday life, it is really important we let them handle real money as often as possible. Please gather together some real coins and play matching games, ask your child/ren to recognise and name all the coins and sort them by colour and size and shape.

English

In English we be exploring persuasive writing as we write letters to the current Reception children, telling all about life in Year One. It is another opportunity for us to rehearse those all important sentence features!

Phonics and Reading

We will be 'growing the code':

(ai) **eight, straight, grey, break**

(ear) **here, deer**

(n) **knee, gnaw**

(m) **thumb**

Tricky words: **our, their, two, busy, once, beautiful, pretty, hour**

VIPERS text: The Storm Whale by Benji Davies

Topic

RE- fitting in nicely with our Green Week this week, we will be finding out about what people said or did in the past that shows care for the environment.

History- we will be finding out why Victorians wanted to go to the seaside.

Art - What is Art? Our next lesson will explore the work of Judith Scott & Cecilia Vicuna and involve the children creating their own fibre art. They will be learning the skills of wrapping, plaiting, threading and knotting.

PE- we will continue with our athletics unit and start preparing for Sports Day. Look out for a letter from the office with details regarding this year's sports day event.

Computing will involve the children learning more about spreadsheets.

Additional notes and reminders

We will be using the field for outside PE lessons, so please be mindful that if your child suffers from hay fever you may want to administer their medication on these days.

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Please note that as the week progresses it is sometimes necessary to change what is planned to meet the learning needs of the children and therefore changes to the above may occur.