



# Year 1 Newsletter

## Autumn 1 for Week 3 Beginning: 18.9.23



### Hello Year 1 Containing: Weekly spellings and homework.

We are really enjoying getting to know the children and they have settled in so beautifully. Thank you for visiting the classrooms this week. The children are working hard to be noticed for both their good behaviour and neat work because they love receiving stickers towards their bronze awards. Every three times that they read at home to you, they earn a sticker too. **Please see page 3 for details about a Science test we will be doing next week.**

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### Phonics homework Please find a phonics homework

reading sheet in your child's homework file. This shares with you the phonics we have completed at school. Reading through the sheet with your child will help them practise what they have learned at school this week.

### Maths homework

#### Find the missing numbers.

Homework will be given out in a folder each Friday and must be handed in by Thursday the following week.

Helpful tip: You could write the numbers 1-10 to help your child.



### School Council and Eco Council

This week your child will bring home an **application form**. If your child would like to be on either the School or Eco council, please draw and write about why you would be good for the role and **return to school by Monday 18th September 2023.**

Please practise for a test on Friday 22nd September.

Common

Exception  
Words

he

she

we

me

see

The digraph

ee

cheep

queen

green

tree

teeth

The digraph ee



For the week:	To Do
18.9.2023	<i>Please bring a <u>filled</u> water bottle to school every day. Bring your reading bag and reading record book to school each day.</i>
Monday 	Return any School Council or Eco Council applications. <b>PE DAY DRAGONFLIES</b> <i>Come to school ready dressed for PE.</i> Wear your PE kit, according to the weather as it will be outside, and trainers.
Tuesday	<b>PE DAY DRAGONFLIES AND CATERPILLARS</b> <i>Come to school ready dressed for PE.</i> Wear your PE kit, according to the weather as it will be outside, and trainers.
Wednesday	
Thursday	<b>RETURN HOMEWORK FILE.</b>
Friday	<b>PE DAY CATERPILLARS</b> <i>Come to school ready dressed for PE.</i> Wear your PE kit, according to the weather as it will be outside, and trainers.

**IMPORTANT:** Please make sure that your child has a **full, spare set of clothes at school.**

## Little Wandle - Letters and Sounds Year 1 Phonics Home Learning

Phase 3 & 4 (review) / Phase 5 - Autumn 1 Week 1  
Focus - Review Phase 3 phonemes



Please support your child to practise and reinforce the phonemes and graphemes we are learning in school. More information and support can be found on the Little Wandle website - <https://www.littlewandlelettersandsounds.org.uk/resources/for-parents/>

**Phonemes we will be focusing on this week in school -**

ai

ee

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oa

oo

ar

or

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oo

ow

oi

ear

**We will be reading and writing words.** Can you see this week's focus phonemes?

tail

feel

right

road

food

bar

born

surf

down

join

near

soap

**We will be reading and writing sentences.** Can you spot any tricky words? Can you see this week's focus phonemes? Can you read these sentences fluently?

The toads feel so cool.

The boot on my right foot is too hard.

I can see foxes in the car lights.

We can go down to the town on the bus.

**We will be practising tricky words.** Can you spot the tricky part of the word?

no

go

so

my

by

to

into

out

the

**We will be spelling words.** Can you write these words? Can you use the correct phonemes?

right

hard

took

hear

# Science

Next week the children will be tasting foods in Science.

**The foods we will be tasting are like:**

soy sauce,

salty crisps,

chocolate beans,

cake,

pomegranate,

lemon,

celery,

honey.

***Please let us know if your child is unable to take part or if their allergies would be affected by these foods.***

Can you categorise these foods into sweet, sour, salty and bitter?



Sweet	Sour	Salty	Bitter