



Robin Hood Primary School

Year 1 Newsletter – Friday 10th May 2024

We have had a wonderful week in Year 1. The children have published their letters this week and they are now ready to post to the care home. We are inviting the residents at the local care home for afternoon tea to thank them for inviting us to sing at their care home earlier on in the school year. We have been very impressed with their handwriting - well done Year 1!

In Maths we have been doing some super counting in 2's, 5's and 10's and the children have used this knowledge to find equal groups as part of our unit on multiplication and division. We have also been learning about the oceans and continents in Geography and the children have enjoyed looking at maps and using an atlas to explore where they are in the world. The children have also made smoothies this week in DT. The children practiced cutting, chopping and grating a range of fruits and then enjoyed their delicious, healthy smoothie.

With the phonics screening check looming, we are focusing on recapping sounds that the children are less confident with. Common misconceptions are /e/ as in me, /ea/ as in bread, /ture/ as in picture and the split diagraphs /a_e/, /e_e/, /igh/, /o_e/ and /u_e/. If you would like some phonics resources to practice with at home, then please speak to your child's class teacher. We really appreciate your support.

Home Learning:

This week, we would like the children to do a phonics, SPAG and maths activity. Remember to add at least 4 entries each week for the chance to win a book of your choice.

Important Information:

Sensory circuits- There will be **NO** sensory circuit next week due to SATs.

PE Days: The children will need to come in their PE kit on Monday and Wednesday. Monday is outdoor PE and Wednesday is indoor PE.

Next week we have got Art afternoon, please ensure that your child has an old t-shirt or apron in school ahead of this. Thank you to those who have already sent one in.

Sun cream and sun hats: As the weather improves, please can we ask that parents/ carers send their child with a sun hat. We also ask that you put a high factor sun cream on your child that can keep them protected from the sun for the full school day. Thank you in advance.

We hope that you have a super weekend.

Mrs Murphy, Miss Coptcoat and the Year 1 team.