

WEEKLY BULLETIN



Where learning has no limits

Monday 17th September 2018

Dear Parents and Carers,

We have all had a wonderful start to Year 1 and the children are settling in well. I look forward to meeting many of you today at the meet the teacher.

Homework: Please try and read with your child each night and sign in the reading record to show that this has happened. If your child finishes their book please re-read. Further activities that could be given would be to ask comprehension questions about the text, find tricky words in the text or retelling the story.

In Maths this week, we will be completing our baseline assessments.

In English we will continue to base our learning around the story 'Have you filled a bucket today?' and learn about empathy, resilience, respect and tolerance and self-control, what they mean and how we can show these. We will be completing lots of activities around these key words including role-plays, making empathy glasses, learning about Martin Luther King and The Suffragettes, the 'chimp' and lots of work based around the learning pit; making mistakes and trying again. We will have a dedicated time each day for us to reflect on how we have filled each other's 'buckets'.

In Phonics, In Phase 4 we will be revising all the sounds learned so far in Phases 2 and 3 and linking this to handwriting.

Many thanks,

Miss J Clements