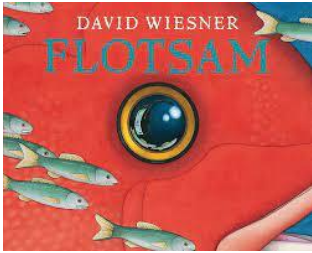


Hassocks Infant School
Weekly information for Parents and Carers
Weekly Overview

Year group: 2

Date WC 18/9/23

Area of learning	What we will be learning
<p>Communication, Language and Literacy</p> 	<p>In phonics, we will begin reviewing sounds taught at the end of Year 1. This week we will be focusing on;</p> <p>/ai/ - eight, straight, grey, break n/ -kn knee, gn gnaw m/ mb – thumb /ear/ - here, deer</p> <p>We will also be working on our spellings of Year 2 Common Exception Words, specifically; kind, mind, behind, child, children.</p> <p>We will be beginning our new book 'Flotsman' by David Wiesner. We will be writing a prediction, using our inference skills to say how a character may be feeling and using adjectives to describe a noun.</p>
<p>Mathematical Development</p>	<p>We will be continuing to partition numbers to 100 in many different ways (using tens and ones grids, tens frames, part whole models and manipulatives). We will also recap writing numbers in words.</p>
<p>Creative Development</p>	<p>Art – We will be exploring the work of the artist Eric Carle and creating our own collages by cutting and sticking similar objects together to create new textures.</p>
<p>Knowledge and Understanding of the world</p>	<p>Jigsaw – Relationships and Health Education We will be thinking about why it is important to be safe in school and what our responsibilities are to ensure this happens.</p> <p>RE – We will be focusing on Christianity and exploring whether it is possible to be kind all the time.</p> <p>Geography We will continue to learn about the five major oceans and why they are under threat.</p>
<p>Physical Development</p>	<p>We will be continuing to explore team games and practising dribbling and kicking skills.</p>
<p>Any Other Information</p>	<p>It was lovely to see so many of you at our Learning Journey chat last week, we hope you found the Power Point presentation useful in giving you an overview of what the children will be learning this term. If you have any questions, please email the office and we will do our best to answer them.</p> <p>Please can you send your child into school with a plain, white T-shirt to decorate as part of our Geography learning this week. An old pyjama top is fine!</p> <p>Our PE days are Tuesday and Thursday. We will be doing PE outside unless it is raining, so please could children wear warm kit when the temperature drops, thank you.</p> <p>We will be posting Words of the Week Spellings on Tapestry every Friday. Please practise these throughout the week with your child. These spellings will be reviewed during a short handwriting session the following Friday.</p> <p>Thank you for your support,</p> <p>The Year 2 Team</p>

Please note this is a basic overview of the planning for this week. It is impossible to cover in this outline all the learning that takes place during a week! We also believe in listening to your children and responding to the children's interests and ideas and therefore all our planning is **very** flexible. Please note some of the learning will take place across more than one week and during some weeks the learning focus may not cover all curriculum areas.