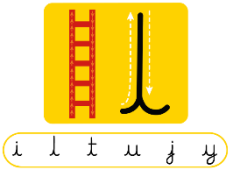


Hassocks Infant School  
 Weekly information for Parents and Carers  
 Weekly Overview

Year group: 1

Date: W.B 01.01.24

Area of learning	What we will be learning
<p><b>Communication, Language and Literacy</b></p>	<p><b>This week we are learning to:</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Use question words to ask questions.</li> <li>• Think about what characters might be thinking and saying.</li> <li>• Writing questions and answering questions.</li> <li>• Looking at some new vocabulary from our book and using it in sentences.</li> </ul> <p><b>Vocabulary:</b>  <i>Rattled, shivered, vanished, bulged, dainty, mislaid.</i></p> <p><b>Phonics focus:</b>            We will be learning new phase 5 sounds this week.</p> <p><i>/ee/ y funny            /e/ ea head            /w/ wh wheel            /oa/ oe ou toe shoulder</i></p> <p><b>Tricky words:</b>  <i>any, many, again</i></p> <p><b>Handwriting:</b>            We will be learning about letter families this term. This week we will be practising all the letters in the ladder family.</p> <div style="text-align: center;">  </div>
<p><b>Mathematical Development</b></p>	<p>Over the next few weeks we will be looking at place value to 20.</p> <p><b>We will be learning to:</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- To count within 20</li> <li>- To understand 10</li> <li>- To understand 11,12, and 13</li> </ul> <p><b>Maths fluency:</b>            This week we will be:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Looking at doubles and talking about odd and even numbers.</li> </ul> <p><b>Words you might hear your child say!</b>  <b>Double, odd, even</b></p> <p><b>With your child you could:</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Look for opportunities when putting things into pairs.</li> <li>• Read stories that involve counting in 2s, e.g. 'Noah's Ark'. Encourage the children to line up toy animals ready to go into the ark and observe if there is an odd or even number.</li> <li>• Count in 2s forwards and backwards to 10, starting from both 0 and 1. Highlight whether the count is 'the odd numbers' or 'the even numbers'..</li> </ul>
<p><b>Jigsaw PSED</b></p>	<p><b>This term we will be learning about 'Dreams and Goals'.</b></p> <p><b>We are learning to:</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Set simple goals</li> <li>• Talk about things we do well.</li> </ul> <p><b>Vocabulary</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <i>Proud</i></li> <li>• <i>Success</i></li> <li>• <i>Achievement</i></li> <li>• <i>Goal</i></li> </ul>

	<p><u>You can ask your child?</u> What can you do well? What is your special success? How do you feel when you achieve a goal?</p>
<b>Physical Development</b>	<p>Jenny will lead Friday PE sessions and teaching dance alongside the class teacher. Monday PE sessions will be led by the class teacher and will be focusing on floor gymnastics.</p>
Any Other Information	<p>Welcome back to all our lovely families. We hope 2024 is filled with lots of lovely things!</p> <p><u>PE</u> Our PE days are Monday and Friday.</p>