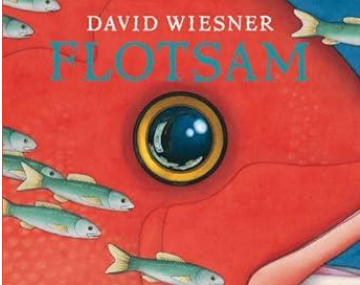


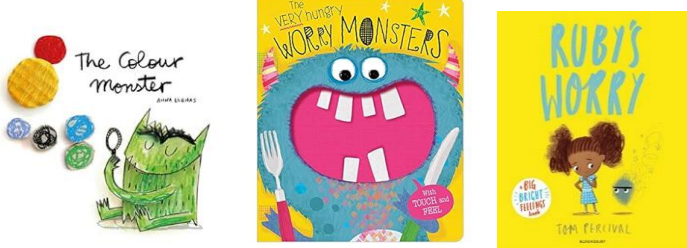


Hassocks Infant School
Weekly information for Parents and Carers
Weekly Overview

Year group: 2

Date WC 9.9.24

Area of learning	What we will be learning	
<p>Communication, Language and Literacy</p>	<p>Our key text is:</p>  <p>Flotsam by David Wiesner</p> <p>We will be answering the following questions:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Can I orally rehearse words I want to spell? • How can I use a sound mat to help me spell unfamiliar words? • What makes a sentence? <p><u>Vocabulary:</u> Capital letter, full stop, finger space.</p>	<p style="text-align: center;"><u>Phonics</u></p> <p>This half term we will be completing the Phase 5 review unit of the Little Wandle scheme.</p> <p>This week we will revisit: /ai/ a-e ai ay a eigh ea ey aigh /ee/ y ea ee e ie ey e-e /igh/ igh i-e i y ie /oa/ ow o o-e oa oe ou</p> <p><u>Tricky words</u> people eye whole</p> 
<p>Mathematical Development</p>	<p><u>Maths</u> This week we will be exploring place value of numbers to 100.</p> <p>We will be learning to:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Read and represent numbers to 20. - Read and represent numbers to 100. - Partition numbers to 100. - Use a place value chart. <p><u>Vocabulary</u> Tens, ones, place value chart, part whole model.</p>	
<p>Geography</p>	<p>This unit will focus on our BIG enquiry question, 'Why should we look after our oceans?'</p> <p>This week we will explore and discuss: What are the five major oceans and where are they on a map? Why are oceans important?</p> <p><u>Vocabulary</u> Ocean, sea, habitat, medicine, oxygen, food, continent, map, globe.</p>	
<p>Jigsaw</p> 	<p>Our unit this term will focus on the theme of 'Being Me in my World'.</p> <p>This week we will discuss the start of a new school year and what we can do if we feel worried about something.</p> <p>Related texts:</p>	

	
Physical Development	<p>Jenny will lead our Tuesday PE sessions and class teachers will lead sessions on Wednesday. We will be learning playground games, as well as exploring a variety of invasion games. Please ensure that your child has appropriate PE kit in school.</p>
Any Other Information	<p><u>General reminders</u></p> <p>Our PE days are Tuesday and Wednesday. Please can long hair be tied back on PE days, as this is a necessary part of keeping the children safe during their PE lessons.</p> <p>Please can you ensure that all your child's belongings are clearly marked with their name as this makes it much easier to locate and return their property to them if mislaid.</p> <p><u>Plain T-shirts</u></p> <p>As part of our Geography Unit 'Oceans and Sustainability', we will be decorating t-shirts to raise awareness of environmental issues. Please can you send your child in with a plain, named t-shirt by Monday 16th September. These will be decorated and sent home at the end of the week.</p> <p><u>Reading books</u></p> <p>We will be assessing and placing children's reading levels this week. Phonics books will be sent home from next week. Children may begin to bring home sharing books from our class book corners before then.</p> <p><u>Meet the teacher</u></p> <p>Year 2 meet the teacher parent talk in school hall on Friday 13th September</p> <p>Thank you for your continued support, 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.