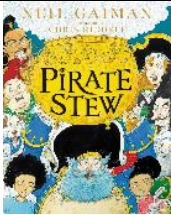
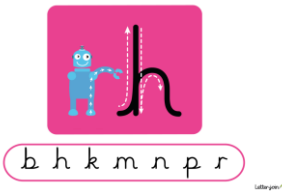


Hassocks Infant School
Weekly information for Parents and Carers
Weekly Overview

Year group: 1

Date: W/C 9/3/25

Area of learning	What we will be learning	
<p>Communication, Language and Literacy</p>	 <p>We will be looking at the book 'Pirate Stew' by Neil Gaiman.</p> <p>We are learning to: Read and look at the poem 'Pirate Stew'. Form plural using s and es. Use bossy verbs</p> <p><u>With your child you could:</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Play the bossy game! Can your child give your instructions using bossy words? 	<p><u>Phonics focus:</u></p> <p>Or/ a water Schwa in longer words: different o/ a want Grow the code: /air/ bear/ there</p> <p><u>Tricky words:</u> Recapping previously learnt tricky words. Please practise reading these at home and spotting them in signs when you are out and about.</p>
<p>Handwriting:</p>	<p>To be on track by the end of the year children must be able to form all their letters correctly starting and finishing in the correct place. We will be looking at:</p> <p>One-armed Robot Letters</p>  <p>You can support your child by practising these at home.</p>	
<p>Jigsaw</p>	<p>This term we are learning about being healthy.</p> <p><u>This week, we are learning to:</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Understand the difference between being healthy and unhealthy and know some ways to keep myself healthy • Feel good about myself when I make healthy choices <p><u>You can ask your child:</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - How can you be healthy? - Discuss healthy choices with them. 	
<p>Mathematical Development</p>	<p>This week will be focusing on place value.</p> <p><u>We are learning to:</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Count in tens, forwards and backwards to one hundred. • Recap how many tens make up a number e.g. 30 is made of 3 tens. • Understand the value of ten being ten ones. • Count groups of tens and extra ones. <p><u>Vocabulary:</u> Tens, ones, hundreds.</p> <p><u>You can support your child by:</u></p>	

<p>Religious Education</p>	<p>This term in RE we will be learning about the Christian Easter Story. Our Big Question is:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Why is Easter so important to Christians? <p>Children will be introduced to what Christians believe happened on Palm Sunday, Good Friday and Easter Sunday. Children will think about what happened at Easter and why it is important to Christians.</p> <p><u>You can ask your child:</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> – What do Christians believe happened at Easter? – Why do Christians celebrate at Easter? – How do Christians celebrate Easter?
<p>Music</p>	<p>We will be practising our songs for spring festival each week and working on pitch and tone. We will be sending home words for children to learn this week.</p>
<p>Physical Development</p>	<p>Jenny will lead Friday PE sessions and class teachers will lead sessions on Monday.</p> <p>On a Monday we will be learning all about gymnastics using apparatus.</p> <p>On a Friday we will be doing sports hall athletics.</p>
<p>Any Other Information</p>	<p><u>PE Kits.</u></p> <p>We still have some children without PE kits and do not have enough spares. Please ensure your child has a full PE kit.</p> <p><u>Forest school</u></p> <p>Ash class starts Forest School this week.</p> <p><u>Dates for this term:</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Tues 17th (for Ash & Chestnut classes) & Thurs 19th March (for Apple & Chestnut classes) – Spring Festival - we will be doing 2 performances both in the morning. Chestnut class parents can decide which performance to attend.