

Maths

This term we will be verbally counting to 20 as part of our place value unit. During this unit we will also be ordering and comparing numbers up to 20. Children can often find it tricky to count the teen numbers so we will use number tracks to help us with this skill.

We will be learning how to add and subtract numbers to 20 and learning our number bonds to 20. We will look at doubles and near doubles of numbers within 20 using a range of resources to help us.

Once we have understood place value to 20, Class Keighley will move on to understanding place value of numbers up to 50. We will use base ten to help us represent these numbers and we will learn how to count in 10s by making groups of 10. We will then use our new learning to order and compare numbers to 50.

In Year One, we will also learn how to measure length and height and compare objects based on size. We will begin to learn about the unit of measure, centimetres.

We will also be learning about heavier and lighter objects and comparing them by weight. In addition, we will be learning about capacity and will be finding out about how we can measure it.



Class Keighley

Spring Term

Maths and English

Overview



Key Reminders

Reading- You will receive a reading homework sheet each week for your child, this includes the phonemes and tricky words they are currently learning. Please try to practice these regularly.

Reading- Please also ensure that your child's reading records are returned on a Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday.

Spellings- Spellings are set every week and tested on a Friday, please practice each week in your child's book.

PE- PE will be on a Monday and Wednesday each week

Please check Class Dojo regularly, as we will be sharing information about our fantastic class reading books!

English

This half term we will be sharing the story

'Traction Man'

We will be reading about Traction man's exciting adventures and will be finding out if he can overcome the embarrassment of his costume.

Children will have the following opportunities:

- to share their thoughts about pictures from the text
- to think about the feelings of characters
- to write character and setting descriptions
- to sequence their own sentences to create a story

During the second half term we will be looking at the text

'Beegu'

We will be sharing the story 'Beegu', it tells the story of a small creature who has unexpectedly come to Earth. We will talk about friendship and kindness and explore a range of emotions including loneliness.

Children will have opportunities to write the following:

- free verse poems
- instructions
- a diary as Beegu

Through the love of God, we protect our school community. Together we trust, hope, persevere and flourish on life's great adventure