

# Puffins Weekly Overview 2025

## Term 5 Week 3

We are looking forward to starting a course of lessons with Mrs Anderson on Monday about Neurodiversity.

Friday, 9 <sup>th</sup> May	This week we have been learning about ...
English	<p>Class Reader: We are reading 'The Reptile Room' by Lemony Snicket.</p> <p>Writing: We have focused on direct and indirect speech, writing about 'The Catch'.</p> <p>Grammar – speech punctuation rules</p> <p>Spelling focus: list 28 – see below</p>
Maths	<p><u>Times Tables</u></p> <p><u>Decimals</u></p> <p>Hundredths and fractions</p> <p>Hundredths as decimals</p> <p>Adding tenths to make a whole</p> <p><u>Fun Friday</u> – card games</p>
Other Curriculum Areas	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Music – Peter and the Wolf Disney Film</li> <li>• Science – investigating the effects of acidic liquids on our teeth</li> <li>• Spanish – revising pets</li> <li>• RE – How do Hindus understand Dharma as duty?</li> </ul>
<b>News and reminders</b> <b>Spelling shed words this week:</b>	<p>Next week <b>PE</b> is on <b>Monday</b> and <b>Wednesday</b>. <b>Forest School</b> is in the Forest School Area on site again.</p> <p><b>Multiplication Tables Check</b> – we are working hard in school to be ready for this test which the children will complete in school on an iPad between <b>June 4<sup>th</sup> and 6<sup>th</sup></b>. We advise that they are aware of which facts they know, which facts they can work out in under the 6 seconds and which facts they can't – but are still worth a guess! We also strongly advise that all children get used to NOT pressing the enter button, but typing in the answer and leaving it on the screen so they can check for typos and have a pause between questions.</p> <p><b>Please practise at home</b> on an iPad or computer if you can. There are various different <b>free</b> sites: I like this one: <a href="https://urbrainy.com/mtc/test#">https://urbrainy.com/mtc/test#</a> or <a href="https://mathsframe.co.uk/en/resources/resource/477/Multiplication-Tables-Check">https://mathsframe.co.uk/en/resources/resource/477/Multiplication-Tables-Check</a> Thank you.</p> <p>All <b>cornets need to be returned</b>. We are still missing one – please check and see if you have one lurking and return it asap. Thank you!</p>
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