

Puffins Weekly Overview 2024

Term 2 Week 1

I am sorry that staff and children have been off again due to illness this week; most teaching has been as a whole class.

Wishing you all a lovely weekend and looking forward to meeting many of you at Parents' Evenings next week.

Friday, 8 th November	This week we have been learning about ...
English	<p>Class Reader: You're a Bad Man Mr Gum by Andy Stanton</p> <p>Reading and Writing focus: stories inspired by 'Little Cloud' by Anne Booth and poetry inspired by 'Once Upon a Raindrop' by James Carter</p> <p>Spelling focus: Spelling Shed list 8 – more words ending -ation</p> <p>Grammar focus: inverted commas and reposting clauses for direct speech</p>
Maths	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ★ *Facts of the Day - facts 1 to 5 ★ The 12x, 0x and 1x tables ★ Bonfire Night Multiplication mystery ★ Understanding the big multiplication grid ★ Friday Fun day tables games ★ Multiplication and Division mini assessment <div style="float: right; text-align: right;"> <p>fact 1 $7 \times 3 = 21$</p> <p>fact 2 $12 \times 3 = 36$</p> <p>fact 3 $3 \times 3 = 9$</p> <p>fact 4 $5 \times 5 = 25$</p> <p>fact 5 $4 \times 4 = 16$</p> </div>
Other Curriculum Areas	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Geography – the human and physical Geography of Egypt ● Geography – World Rivers ● Computing – Basic LOGO programming commands ● Spanish – Days of the week ● Art – mixing blues
<p>News and reminders</p> <div style="border: 1px solid black; padding: 2px; margin-bottom: 2px;">adoration</div> <div style="border: 1px solid black; padding: 2px; margin-bottom: 2px;">admiration</div> <div style="border: 1px solid black; padding: 2px; margin-bottom: 2px;">coronation</div> <div style="border: 1px solid black; padding: 2px; margin-bottom: 2px;">detonation</div> <div style="border: 1px solid black; padding: 2px; margin-bottom: 2px;">observation</div> <div style="border: 1px solid black; padding: 2px; margin-bottom: 2px;">location</div> <div style="border: 1px solid black; padding: 2px; margin-bottom: 2px;">generation</div> <div style="border: 1px solid black; padding: 2px; margin-bottom: 2px;">exploration</div> <div style="border: 1px solid black; padding: 2px; margin-bottom: 2px;">combination</div> <div style="border: 1px solid black; padding: 2px; margin-bottom: 2px;">illustration</div>	<p>Homework: Daily reading. Spelling Shed spellings - List 8 more -ation words</p> <p>Facts of the Day – see above – learn one fact a day, we will revise these every day!</p> <p>Well done to those who have done the MyMaths tables tasks. There are a few more I can set, but they aren't seeming very popular, so I'll perhaps leave those of you who are keen to do them as and when you want.</p> <p>Cornets is on as usual next Monday.</p> <p>TRockstars – Well done to Kacey who led the way in our 'Battle of the Bands' tournament against Year 6 and Stanley who is currently top of the class! Biscuits will only awarded in future to children who score at least 50 team points, to encourage everyone make an effort to participate.</p> <p>Our next tournament is another Boys against girls starting on Monday!</p> <div style="background-color: #4a4a8a; color: white; padding: 5px; margin: 10px 0;"> <p style="font-size: 0.8em; margin: 0;">11th November - 19 November 2024 📅 🗑️</p> <div style="display: flex; justify-content: space-around; align-items: center;"> <div style="background-color: #e91e63; color: white; border-radius: 10px; padding: 2px 5px; font-size: 0.7em;">Puffins Boys</div> <div style="background-color: #e91e63; color: white; border-radius: 10px; padding: 2px 5px; font-size: 0.7em;">Puffins girls</div> </div> <p style="text-align: right; font-size: 0.8em; margin: 0;">Starts in 4 days</p> </div> <p>Forest School children had their final session this week. The 10 children who haven't done Forest School will be able to go next summer.</p> <p>PE this term is Gymnastics on a Thursday afternoon with Miss Brice and Real PE on a Friday afternoon with Mrs Washington.</p> <p>Next week – ODD SOCKS on Tuesday for anti-bullying and own clothes on Friday for Children in Need – bring a change for PE if necessary or wear something appropriate for indoor PE (no tights and bare feet or clean trainers).</p>