



Waterbeach Community Primary School

Weekly Learning Update: Year 1/2

Date: 10.9.26

Maths

In Maths this week the children have been learning about:

Year 1

- Exploring the composition of numbers to 10 and representing them on a ten frame.

Year 2

- Partitioning 2 digit numbers into tens and ones using part whole models and place value grids.

Next week we will be learning about:

Year 1

- Doubling and halving, finding one more, finding one less and comparing numbers.

Year 2

- Comparing and ordering numbers using greater than, less than and equal to signs.

English

In English this week the children have been learning about:

- Drawing Club – an adventure exploring the joy of imaginative drawing, ideas and writing based on a story. This week's story has been 'Bear's Lost Glasses'.

Phonics Year 1

- We have been reviewing words with Phase 3 digraphs and trigraphs.
- Next week, we will revisit words with two or more digraphs in them e.g. shower.

Phonics/Spelling Year 2

- We have been learning the alternative graphemes for the ai, n, m and ear phonemes.
- Next week, we will focus on alternative graphemes for the zh, j and i phonemes.

Topic

As part of our topic 'Houses and Homes', the children have been learning:

- To locate Waterbeach on a map and identify places that are close or further away.
- To identify human and physical geographical features.
- To identify different materials and what they are used for.

Next week we will be learning:

- To draw simple maps of a familiar area.
- About human and physical features of a farm.

Additional information & Reminders

Due to the changeable weather your child should bring a hat, water bottle and a waterproof coat every day.

On PE days, if your child has long hair, please ensure that it is tied up.

This week your child has brought home a choice book from the school library for you to share with them. Choice books should be returned on **Mondays**. They will also bring home a guided reading book on Friday. Please return the guided reading books on **Tuesdays**. To protect the guided reading books, please keep them in the plastic wallet when they are not being read.

Thank you for your continued support. Please get in touch if you have any questions.
Kind regards, the Year 1/2 team.