



Holidays - Then and Now

Do it! Secure it! Deepen it!

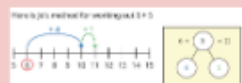
Maths:

Addition:

Following on from place value, the children will be exploring addition during the first part of this half term. The children will use a range of mental and written methods to support them with their learning.

This unit of learning will look at:

- Adding three one-digit numbers
- Adding to the next 10
- Adding across the next 10
- Adding two, two-digit numbers (not crossing 10)
- Adding two, two-digit numbers (crossing 10)



$$\begin{array}{r} 40 + 6 \\ + 20 + 3 \\ \hline 60 + 9 = 69 \end{array}$$

$$\begin{array}{r} 40 + 9 \\ 20 + 5 \\ 70 + 2 = 72 \end{array}$$

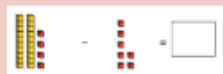
$$\begin{array}{r} 10 \\ 26 \\ + 35 \\ \hline 61 \end{array}$$

Subtraction:

After addition, the children will be learning to subtract. It is really important that the children understand that **subtracting lessens** the size of a number. They must also know that **addition is commutative** (the numbers can be added in any order) and **subtraction is not** (the smallest number **must** be taken away from the biggest number).

The key areas of focus for subtraction are:

- Subtract from a 10
- Subtract across a 10
- Subtract a one-digit number from a two-digit number
- Subtract a two-digit number from a two-digit number (not crossing 10)
- Subtract a two-digit number from a two-digit number (crossing 10)
- Subtraction problems involving missing numbers



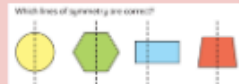
$$\begin{array}{r} 35 - 17 = 18 \end{array}$$

$$\begin{array}{r} 50 \\ - 30 \\ \hline 20 \end{array}$$

$$\begin{array}{r} 84 \\ - 36 \\ \hline 48 \end{array}$$

Shape

Towards the end of this half term the children will begin their learning on shape. During this unit of learning the children will name and recognise 2D and 3D shapes, explore properties of 2D and 3D shapes, find lines of symmetry and make patterns with shapes.



It is also important that the children regularly revisit their number bonds to 10 and 20, and rehearse the 2, 3, 5 and 10 times tables. This key knowledge is crucial to everything they do in maths. Numbots and Times Table Rockstars can be used to support this.

MyMaths learning will be set each week for the children to complete at home.

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English:

Say it! Write it! Check it!

As part of our Holidays then and now STAR learning, the children will be starting the half term writing to letters to Mrs Webb, asking her about her recent holiday. Throughout this unit of learning, the children will explore:

- Present and past tense
- Coordinating conjunctions to make compound sentences e.g. **and**, **or**, **but**
- Subordinating conjunctions to make complex sentences e.g. **when**, **if**, **because**
- Variety of sentence types: **statements**, **commands**, **questions** and **exclamatory sentences**
- **How** and **when** adverbs

After our letter writing, the children will spend some time looking at poetry. The children will be writing riddles where they will be describing different continents without naming them. To wow us with their riddles, the children will learn to:

- Use **expanded noun phrases** to describe - **DAN** (determiner, adjective, noun).
- Use **question marks** to punctuate questions.
- Use **how** and **when** adverbs.

Reading and Phonics

We will continue with our Little Wandle journey and the children will have daily phonics lessons and reading sessions three times a week. Reading books will be sent home on a Wednesday. **Please return the book the following Wednesday.**

It is really important to your child's development that you are hearing them read their reading book **3 times** a week and their sharing book **2 times** a week. Please record this in their reading diary.

They will also be exposed to and learn the Year 1 and 2 common exception word list, which can be found on the year 2 page of the school website.

Class Reader: The Magic Faraway Tree by Enid Blyton

Join Joe, Beth and Frannie as they take their cousin Rick on a an adventure he'll never forget – up the Magic Faraway Tree! Along with their friends Moon-Face, Saucepan Man and Silky the fairy, the children tumble from the fun of the Land of Toys to the thrill of trying to escape the Land of Dreams. Will they ever make it home for tea?

