

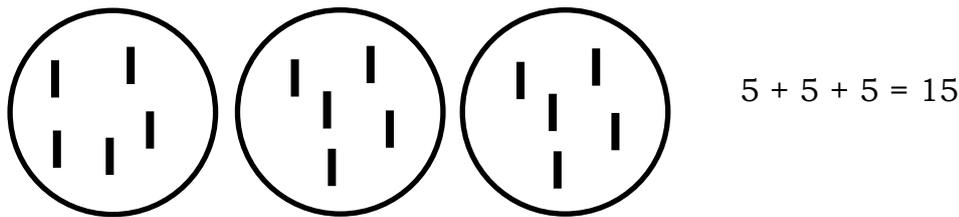
Year 1 Home Learning

Friday 1st December 2017

Dear Parents and Carers,

For English this week, we watched a short clip about a little boy who found a rocket and travelled into space. We enjoyed watching the clip and seeing the adventure that the boy had. We then pretended to be the character in the story to write a diary about his day, ensuring we used full stops and capital letters in the correct places. We also talked about how we can use 'and' to extend our sentences, but we know we must never start a sentence with 'and'.

In maths this week, we have been focusing on repeated addition. We know that repeated addition is a number sentence where you need to keep adding the same number to the calculation. We did this by having a number of objects that were in the groups that we needed to add together. We know that we can check our answers by counting all of the objects. For example:



This week in our Science lesson, we were learning about how the weather changes with each of the different seasons. We looked at different clouds and discussed how we could use the clouds to help us to see what the weather might be like during a day. We also looked at how the direction and speed of the wind can change. We went outside and used bubbles to help us, as they moved with the wind and showed us the direction that it was blowing in. We also found that the speed the bubbles were moving helped us to see how strong the wind was.

Thank you to those who have already brought in their costumes for the Nativity. **Christmas Nativity Costumes:** Please could your child bring in a dark (black/dark blue/grey) top and trousers or leggings in a named plastic bag ready for the Nativity? Could we have the clothes in school by **Monday 4th December?**

I hope you have a lovely weekend.

Kind regards,

Mrs Martin and Miss Brooks

Year 1 Spellings

Each Friday, I will send home a small list of 5 high frequency words for your children to practise writing at home. The following Friday, the children will write these words in a spelling test. Here are the words for your child to practise this week:

not
could
old
can
in

If your child is already confident in writing these words, then you can ask them to practise writing these within a sentence.

Trickier, **optional** spellings:

These are a lot harder, so please do not feel like your child has to learn these. Your child may just want to practise writing the words by copying them down.

Thursday	present	Christmas	prayer
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