

Year 1 Home Learning

Friday 16th October 2020

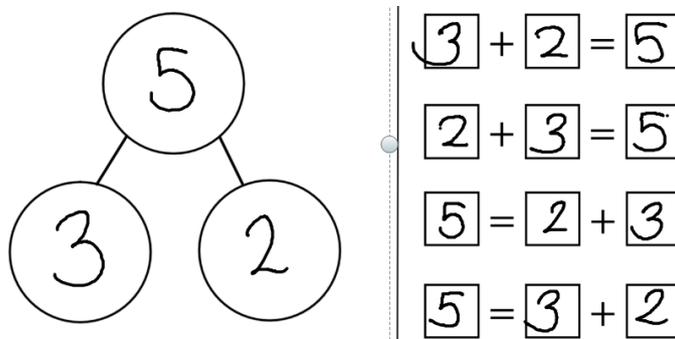
Dear Parents and Carers,

In English this week, we have continued to read 'The Storm Whale' by Benji Davies. We have been thinking very carefully about the scenes within the book and using the text to help us to think about what might have happened. We were given a line from the text, saying that there had been a great storm and we had to think carefully and visualise what this might have looked like. We then drew the scene using oil pastels.



We continued the story and found out that the storm had washed a whale up on the beach. We watched different clips and read through some information about blue whales together and pulled out interesting facts about them to help us to write a fact file. We then put the key facts into sentences, using our capital letters, finger spaces and full stops to write a fact file.

In Maths, we looked at the addition symbol and what it means. We knew that the '+' symbol meant that the number was going to get bigger, as we were going to be counting on. We used this to look at and solve simple addition problems within 10. We then moved onto looking at how to use a part-whole model to help us to solve simple addition problems and find all of the addition facts within our 'fact family'. As we were adding, we knew that our largest number had to be the answer and because addition is commutative, we could swap the other numbers around to show different calculations.



In Topic, we have continued our learning about the seaside. This week we looked at what a journey to the coast would have looked like 50 years ago and we compared this to the journey to the coast 100 years ago and the journey in the modern-day. We found that there were a lot of differences and changes to how we travel to the coast between the different eras.

In PSHE, we have been thinking about the behaviours we should be using in class to promote positive learning. Here are some of our ideas and posters that we have made to remind us of these behaviours.



We hope you all have a lovely weekend,

Kind Regards,

Miss Harrison and Mrs Robinson