

YEAR 1

newsletter

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WHAT HAVE WE LEARNT?

English: During our first week back we have practiced using a range of punctuation such as full stops, question marks and exclamation marks. We have also begun to learn about the life of David Attenborough!

Phonics: This week we have learnt the /air/ sound spelt <air>, <are> and <ear>. This can be found in words such as chair, care and bear. Please also continue to practice the most common sounds sent home last term.

Maths: This week we have been counting in 2's, 5's and 10's. We have also talked about the word equal, unequal, odd and even.

Science: This term we are looking at plants and identifying the different parts such as the stem and roots.

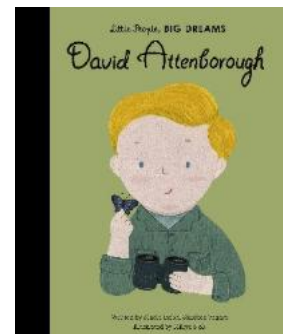
History: We will become explorers in our quest for information this term! We will be looking at significant people in history starting with Sir Ernest Shackleton.

RE: We are continuing to learn about the significance of Easter for Christians and identifying important parts of the story.

PE: In athletics this week we have reflected on how different exercises such as running affect our bodies. In yoga we have been working on building strength and flexibility through movements inspired by monkeys in India!

WHAT ARE WE READING?

We are reading all about the life and work of David Attenborough with a focus on writing a journal!



COMING UP

4 MAY
Bank Holiday – School closed

15 MAY
KS1 School Disco

18 MAY
Sports Day

REMINDERS

Please note that P.E Days have changed and are as follows:

Diamond – Tuesday & Thursday

Moonstone – Monday & Wednesday

Sapphire – Monday & Thursday

We have been so impressed with the fantastic writing children have been doing for their homework. Keep up the good work!