

Weekly overview: wb 24th September 2018

This week we will be carrying on with Funnybones, discussing the characters, sequencing pictures to retell the story, and creating story maps.

The children have really enjoyed learning all about themselves, and this week we will be focusing on our faces! We will be using mirrors to see differences between them.

With our topic 'All about Me' we will also be looking at and talking about younger photos of us. **Please bring in a younger photo on Wednesday, that we can display in our class.**

Also, on Wednesday, is the cake sale! Each cake costs 25p and can be bought afterschool. Please accompany your child after school, and the sale is usually outside Greene class.

Our maths focus this week is counting, and using counting (to 10 and 20) in loads of different situations, with different resources, and in our play.

This week we will also be introducing our phonics phase 2 sounds. With our brand new scheme we have lots of new and exciting story books to read in class and activities to go with them!

With our new phonics we will be introducing reading books this week. To begin with the books will have pictures, where the children determine what the meaning is. We want to make sure that the children have a secure understanding of the initial sounds and how to blend them, before starting worded books.

Ted the bear has begun his journey to everyone's homes! He will get to you at some point.

We have also had a little switch around of the timetable this week, so on Monday afternoon Mrs Robinson will be leading cooking with the class! We will be making some bread.

Next week should be very exciting, and as usual if you have any queries or questions do not hesitate to get in touch.

Kind regards,

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