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Dear Parents,

During this half term, Year 1's topic will continue to be 'Space' and for the final four weeks of term our topic will be 'The Enchanted Woodland'. Attached to this letter is your child's Knowledge Organiser which contain key facts, vocabulary and information about your child's learning in class.

Our learning:

- In Reading, We will be focussing on the reading skills of inference and retrieve. We will read some fiction texts based on alien space adventures, such as 'Race to the Moon and Back'. We will also be reading both fiction and non-fiction texts about plants, such as 'The Enormous Turnip' and 'The lifecycle of a sunflower'.
- In Writing, we will be looking at poetry and using similes and alliteration to create our own space poems. After our visit to Tatton Park we will write a recount of our visit.
- In Maths, we will be looking at fractions finding a half and finding a quarter, numbers to 100, time looking at telling the time to the hour and half past the hour, volume, capacity, mass and space.
- In Science, the children will be learning about a variety of trees and plants.
- In History, the children will be learning about the first people in space and the first moon landing.
- In R.E. the children will be learning about the importance of helping others.
- In P.E., the children will be learning about outdoor games and learn ball skills.
- In PSHE, the children will be reflecting back on their time in year 1 and setting goals for year 2.
- In DT, the children will be taking part in a Dragon's Den project. In teams, they will be creating and making a product designed to make a person's life easier.

Please support your child at home in ensuring that they are reading each day independently and to you and they also have opportunities to listen to an adult read to them.

You can use the information on their Knowledge Organisers to test your child's recall of facts and their understanding of the new vocabulary listed.

If you require any additional information, please contact your child's class teacher who will be happy to assist you.

On the reverse side of this letter, you will find information about key dates coming up this term as well as details of your child's home learning projects.

Key dates for your diary

Phonics screening week 10th June

Year 1 sport's day Monday 24th June

Trip to Tatton Park Thursday 27th June

Summer Fair Friday 12th July

Star of the year assembly 15th July

Parents evening Thursday 18th July

Break up for summer 23rd July

Thank you for your continued support,

Yours sincerely,

The Year 1 team

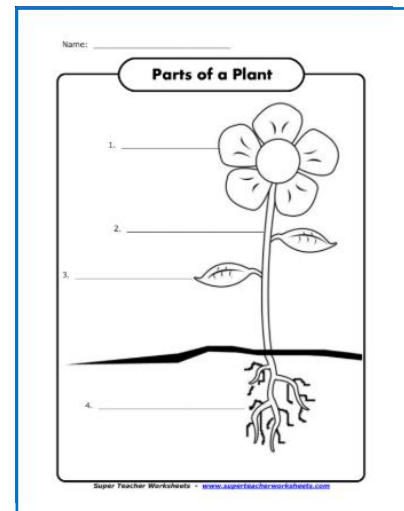


Home Learning Projects:

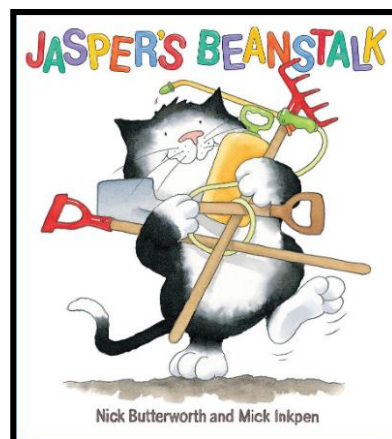
Choose a plant and write 10 interesting facts about it. Present your work in an interesting way.



Draw a labelled picture to show the differences between the different parts of a plant.



Can you plant something of your choice. Keep a plant/flower diary. Record what you have planted and when. Keep note of how much water you give it, measure its height. Present your work in a booklet.



Can you read Jasper's Beanstalk and write about what Jasper did on each day of the week?



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