

WINHILLS Year 1 and Year 2 Fortnightly Newsletter

English

In English we have been focused our learning around the story 'The Lonely Beast'.

Year 1 have been describing the beast, retelling the story with great actions and story mapping.

Year 2 have been retelling the story, innovating the story, planning their own stories and now they will write them!

Mathematics

Year 1 children have been focusing on counting, ordering numbers and one more or one less than numbers.

The year 2 children have been learning to count in 2s, 5s and 10s, partitioning 2 digit numbers, writing numbers in numerals and words, ordering and comparing numbers. The children are continually developing their mathematical thinking and vocabulary.

Science

In Science, the children have been learning about materials! We have named materials and their properties and explored why the objects are made of that.

ICE Zone

Year 1 and 2 have enjoyed starting their topic of 'Exciting Explorers'. So far they have explored Neil Armstrong and his journey into space. They have enjoyed making plants to scale with balloons and paper Maché. Now we are painting them to create a solar system of our very own!

<u>Reminders</u>

Please make sure that the children are completing their homework every week as well as reading with your child every day so they receive their '5 reads and a book talk' award. Homework should be handed in on Monday and new homework will be given out on Wednesdays.

All classes need PE kit on Mondays and this should be left in school for the week. Please ensure your child has correct PE kit, including trainers and all PE kit is named. No earrings must be worn for PE.

Please ensure that your child has a named coat, wellies and water bottle in school everyday.





