

ROOM 3 PRIMARY 1/2

We have been so busy this term in Room 3!
We have settled in so well and are familiar with the daily routines. We absolutely love earning house points and moving our Bees up the 'Above and Beyond' wall!



LITERACY



PRIMARY 1

In Literacy, we have been focusing on our phonological awareness skills. We have enjoyed hearing a different story each week, singing lots of nursery rhymes and playing games! Recently we have started learning some of the alphabet sounds and common words too! Our favourite activity so far has been practising how to write our sounds in glitter! It was so much fun!



We have also started to look at books that have words in them! We can recognise some of the sounds and words we have been learning and can use the pictures to help us read some of the words too!

PRIMARY 2

In Literacy, we have been learning some of the joined phoneme sounds such as 'ee' and 'oo.' We like using the magnetic boards to make, blend, read and write the words.



We love reading and discussing each week what is happening in our reading books. We are gaining confidence in using our reading strategies to help us de-code words too! Our favourite activity at the moment is partner reading using the finger puppets because we can read in a silly voice!

In writing we have been focusing on adding more detail into our imaginative stories through Talk for Writing.



NUMERACY & MATHS

PRIMARY 1

In Numeracy we have been enjoying learning about numbers to 10 and playing different games to help us count forwards and backwards. We can order the numbers too! This week we have started learning about addition within 10. We love learning through play - for example by using the concrete materials such as the cubes and loose parts to help us count and add!



In Maths we have also been learning about 2D shapes, patterns and symmetry. We love using 2D shapes to create different pictures and can draw the other half of a symmetrical shape!



PRIMARY 2

In Numeracy we have also been working on numbers and addition! We are really confident with our numbers to 20 and have even learned about numbers to 100 using a number square!

We like playing board games, using Numicon and playing games on the I-pads to help us gain confidence in answering addition to 20 questions. We like playing mental maths games too, to help us answer addition to 10 questions as quickly as we can!



In Maths we can confidently identify basic 2D shapes and have been learning about some more complex shapes such as pentagons and hexagons. We can continue a repeated pattern, create our own patterns and we can sort shapes based on whether they are symmetrical or not symmetrical.

OTHER CURRICULAR AREAS

Our social studies topic this term is 'Toys from the Past' - we have enjoyed sorting the old and new toys.

We have been focusing on target and possession games in PE and in Health and Wellbeing we have been talking about keeping safe and healthy eating.

In Science we have been learning about Living Things and their habitats.

In RME, we have been hearing some of the stories from the Christian Faith such as 'Joseph and his technicolour dream coat.'

We can say some basic greetings and colours in French too!

Our favourite thing about Room 3 is, of course, playing with our friends and dancing to the 'Danny Go' brain break videos on youtube!