



## Year 1 Homework Letter - Friday 26<sup>th</sup> April 2024

### English

This week in English we have begun reading a new book called 'Stanley's Stick' by John Hegley. Stanley's stick is not just a stick. With a stick in hand, Stanley's options are endless - he flies to the moon, writes in the sand, goes fishing, plays a whistle and rides a dinosaur - his imagination takes over and the magic begins.



The children thought about what different things their stick could do. We then read part of the text and predicted what Stanley is going to do with his stick.

### Homework

Reading books will continue to be changed three times a week on a Monday, Wednesday and Friday. Please also practise the set spellings for this week on Purple Mash.

### Diary dates

**Monday 20<sup>th</sup> May** - PTFA Cinema Night 3.15-5.30pm

**Wednesday 22<sup>nd</sup> May** - Year One Class Collective worship 9.05am

**Thursday 23<sup>rd</sup> May** - Year One Victorian day in school

**W/C 10<sup>th</sup> June** - Year One phonics screening check

**Monday 1<sup>st</sup> July** - Art Exhibition 1.30pm-4.30pm

**Tuesday 2<sup>nd</sup> July** - Art Exhibition 3.15pm-4.30pm

**Tuesday 2<sup>nd</sup> July** - Open evening 3.15pm-4.30pm

**Friday 5<sup>th</sup> July** - Year One trip to Wisley gardens

**Saturday 6<sup>th</sup> July** - PTFA Summer Garden Party 12.00pm-3.00pm

### Maths

During our Maths lessons this week we have made, recognised and added equal groups: What does "equal" mean? How do you know that the groups are equal/unequal? Do the groups have to look exactly the same to be equal? Why/why not? How many equal groups are there? How many are there in each equal group? How can you make the groups equal?

Are the groups equal or unequal?

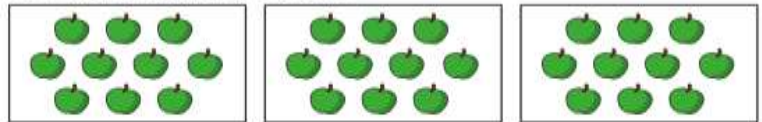


Complete the sentence to match the picture.



There are \_\_\_\_\_ equal groups of \_\_\_\_\_ pencils.

How many apples are there?

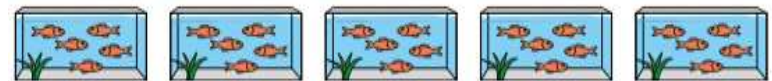


Use ten frames and counters to help you complete the sentences.

$$10 + 10 + 10 = \underline{\quad}$$

There are \_\_\_\_\_ apples altogether.

How many fish are there?



$$\underline{\quad} + \underline{\quad} + \underline{\quad} + \underline{\quad} + \underline{\quad} = \underline{\quad}$$

There are \_\_\_\_\_ fish in total.

### Homework

Please complete the set activities on Purple Mash.

### Victorian day

We are planning to hold a Year One Victorian day in school on Thursday 23<sup>rd</sup> May linked to our history topic. Your child will have the opportunity to come to school dressed as a Victorian and to participate in a range of activities linked. Please ask if you have any questions.