

Year 1/2 News 21.11.25



This week... We have been:

- In English we have started to look at the book 'Dragon Post' and have looked a range of letter types before writing our own post cards.
- In Math's, we have been exploring place value and in particular focusing on partitioning 2-digit number.
- In Geography we have been reminding ourselves of the compass pointing and following simple maps using these directions.
- We have had an exciting author visit and some children have taken part in an aesthetics festival at the tennis centre.
- We have now practised all of the songs for our nativity so please continue to practise these at home.

Mrs Gerry, Miss Rowe & Mr Eustace

Home Learning

Reading

- Reading books will usually be changed every **Mon & Thurs**, but we read with different groups throughout the week so please ensure book bags, reading records and books are in school every day!
- Phonically decodable **books / sheets** that are coming home are to identify and practice the specific sound and different spellings which have previously been taught in our phonics lessons. If your child is finding the text a little trickier / easier, then adapt to either read a few sentences and repeat, or try some comprehension style questions if they are more fluent with the book.
- Please record home reading in the reading record book – Thank you!
(Just a date is fine -we don't need any more detail (unless you want/ have time to give it!!)

CURRENT PHONICS FOCUS:

Y1: /e/ = e ea or ai Y2: /oe/ = o ow oa or ough

Reminders / messages

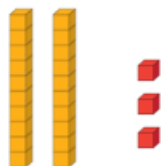
- Please remember to bring in and leave PE kit in school for the half term
- Reading with your child at home will provide fantastic support to their progress – please squeeze this in where possible as part of your routine.

Don't forget to label all of your children's belongings, especially as the weather is getting colder and children are bringing in more items of clothing to keep warm, it really helps us to get them back to your children if every item is clearly labeled.

Maths practice

Year 1

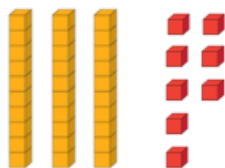
What number is shown?



Complete the sentences.

There are _____ **tens** and _____ **ones**. The number is _____

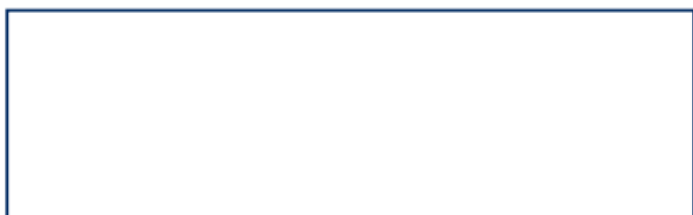
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Complete the sentences.

There are _____ **tens** and _____ **ones**. The number is _____

Draw base 10 to show 42



Year 2

Draw base 10 to complete the part-whole models.

