



Hellingly Community Primary School

Term 1 Newsletter

Comets

WHO EATS WHO?

Our Enquiry this term is all about the different relationships between animals, exploring food chains and discussing what makes something living. In Geography we will be looking at the environments that surround us, learning about human and physical geographical features. We will be looking at different animal habitats and microhabitats. We will be thinking about which animals live in a habitat and how they rely on each other for food and survival. This will build on our learning from year one, when we asked the question 'are animals really that different?' All of this learning will feed into our enquiry question Who eats who?

In Art we will be studying the work of artists such as Henri Rousseau and Jan Van Kesse. We will be developing our drawing skills using a variety of media including; pens, pencils, paints and pastels while focusing on creating images of insects and wildflowers. We will also be creating minibeast collages.

Maths

Number and place value

- looking at tens and ones
 - partitioning
 - numbers up to 100
- comparing and representing these numbers, including the names for numbers
 - using numberlines
- counting in 2s, 5s, 10s and 3s.

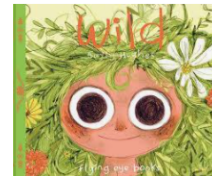
Addition and subtraction

- securing numberbonds
- adding and subtracting within 20
 - 1 more, 1 less, 10 more, 10 less
- adding and subtracting across tens barrier
- adding and subtracting using two digit numbers

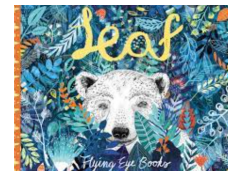
The Power of Reading

Our focus books this term are:

Wild by Emily Hughes



Leaf by Sandra Dieckmann



Share a Book

Share a Book will be every Friday 8.45 - 8.55 every week except the first and last week of term.

Share a Book will be for Year 2 and Year 3 only.

The first Share a Book session will be Friday 15th September.

Phonics	Important Dates
<p>This term we will be recapping our knowledge of phase 5 which we learned in year one.</p> <p>Alternative spellings for the following phonemes: /ai/ /ee/ /igh/ /oa/ /oo/ /air/ /ur/ /ow/ /or/ /zh/ /ch/ /sh/ /j/ /e/ /u/ /s/ /i/ /o/ /u/ /oo/</p> <p>Alternative phonemes for the following graphemes: y ie ea a</p>	<p>Year 2 PE days are: Tuesday and Thursday</p> <p>Monday 25th September 3.20pm-3.40pm Year 2 Parent Curriculum meeting</p> <p>Share a book - see above</p> <p>Tuesday 10th October - 1.45 Harvest Festival at Hellingly Church</p> <p>End of Term: Friday 20th October Inset day: Monday 30th October Start of term 2: Tuesday 31st October</p> <p>Please see the school website for any other important upcoming dates.</p>
Special Events, News, Activities	Don't forget!
<div data-bbox="412 936 521 1045" data-label="Image"> </div> <p>Please like our page Hellingly Community Primary School to keep updated. You can also find the link to this page on our school website.</p>	<p>Keep checking our class page on the website for important news and information. We will also add the children's enquiry homework projects to share with you.</p> <p>Each week we will send a 'Marvellous Me' to keep you up to date with events in the classroom.</p>