



**FREGROUNDS INFANT SCHOOL**  
**KS1**



**Week beginning: Monday 10<sup>th</sup> November**

**Continuous learning at home for this half term:**

<b>Maths</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Practice writing numbers in words from 0 to 50/100</li><li>• Can you draw an empty number line and estimate where different numbers will go on it?</li><li>• Can you count in multiples of 2, 5 or 10?</li><li>• Practice finding pairs of numbers to total 10, 20 or 100</li><li>• Spend some time on Numbots and TT rockstars (logins in reading journals)</li></ul>	<b>Reading</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Sit and snuggle with your favourite book and try and discuss what the characters were doing in it</li><li>• Can you find and read a story, a set of instructions, a comic?</li><li>• Retell stories using key language- this can be verbally or through story maps</li></ul>
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<b>Writing Focus:</b> <p>After spending last week focusing on poetry, we will be moving on to our new book, Big Bear Little Brother. During this week, the children will read and retell the story, begin to think about character's thoughts and feelings, some using evidence from the book and start to write a setting description.</p>
<b>Maths Focus:</b> <p>Maths this week will have a focus on addition and subtraction. The children will be exploring number bonds and partitioning to support them in this as well as developing effective strategies to solve problems around these operations.</p>

**Important information...**

**Costume letters**

With the Christmas performance quickly approaching, costume letters will be sent out on Monday 10<sup>th</sup> November. These letters have suggestions as to what your child's/children's costume needs to be.

For PE, KS1 will be going outside for as much of the year as possible. Please ensure your child has a winter PE kit consisting of navy blue jumper / hoody and jogging bottoms / leggings and trainers alongside their indoor / summer PE kit of red shorts & white t-shirt. Thank you!

**Earrings**

Could we please remind parents and children that as per our school uniform, only small studs should be worn if your child has pierced ears. On days that PE is held, earrings should either be removed or covered with micropore tape.

**PE days**

**Orange class – Thursday and Friday**

**Purple class – Tuesday and Thursday**

**Emerald class – Monday and Thursday**

**Scarlet class – Tuesday and Wednesday.**

**Turquoise class - Monday and Wednesday.**

**Gentle Reminder . . .**

Please can you ensure that your child's belongings are named, including water bottles, jumpers, coats and PE kits. It makes it difficult to return items to the correct owners if they are unnamed.

**Thank you for your continued support.**

**Mrs Finlay, Miss Smith, Mrs Duncan, Miss Moors and Miss Hunt**