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Year R Newsletter: 22nd October 2021

What have we been learning about in Year R this week?

In Literacy we have been looking at our core text 'Bedtime for Monsters'. The children have been thinking about the different places the monster travelled to in the story and how to describe these places e.g. 'a cold and snowy mountain'. The children have also created their own monsters and described what their monsters looked like.

In Maths the children have been busy exploring the numbers 1,2 and 3 and how these are represented in different ways e.g. the number 1 as a numeral, 1 candle on a cake, the number 1 numicon, 1 object, 1 spot on a dice. The children have been on a hunt round the school looking at how 1, 2 and 3 are represented in different ways.

We have also retested the children this week on their phonics sounds. We are very pleased with all of the class who are progressed very nicely in their sounds this term. We thank you for all of your hard work at home practising with your child on these.

In PE the children have practised some of the PE games that they have completed this term.

After half term:

On Tuesday 2nd November the children will be having a class photo for the Basingstoke Gazette. Please could the children come dressed in their school uniform on Tuesday 2nd. Therefore, the children will only be in their PE kit on the Friday 5th November for that week.

In Literacy we will be starting our work around our next core text 'Augustus and His Smile'. We will read the story and retell different parts of the story.

In Maths we will be continuing our work on looking at the numbers 1,2 and 3 but we will also be looking at 1 more and 1 less than these numbers.

We hope you have a lovely half term and a well earned break. We look forward to seeing you back in school on Monday 1st November.

The Year R team

