



# Weekly Review – Willow Class

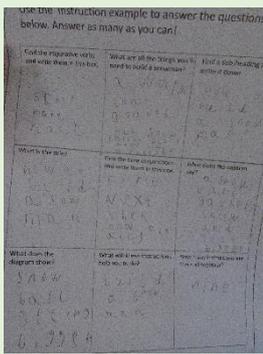


## Friday 11<sup>th</sup> December 2020



In Storytime Phonics we have revised the following sounds this week : a-e, ay, ai, eigh. We have also looked at instructions. The children wrote instructions for making a snowman out of playdough. They learned the importance of being clear and ordering their instructions carefully and chronologically. They then answered comprehension questions about the instructions sheet.

It was ambitious but the children tried very hard and I am encouraging them to try to read instructions as independently as they can.



### 1 one, 2 two, 3 three, 4 four, 5 five, 6 six etc

In Maths we have looked at representing numbers in different ways for example tally marks, ten frames, dice patterns, tens and ones, fingers on hands and also writing the number in the word form too. Please practise writing numbers 1-20 at home as digits and words as this is a target for Year 1 children.

In P4C we had a class discussion about whether letters or numbers were more important. We formed 2 groups and said the reasons why we came to our conclusions. The children are learning to say ‘I know you think that but I think this...and these are my reasons..etc’

It has been a busy week practising and filming our Christmas Celebration. The children did really well and I hope that you enjoy seeing it very soon on our youtube page.



The children are enjoying Advent - waiting and preparing for Christmas. Each child in the class will be given 1 chocolate between now and the end of term from our Class elf calendar!

Tuesday 15<sup>th</sup> December : Christmas party lunch



**Reading Records:** The white reading record can now come into school with the reading book to change each Monday and Thursday. Please continue to read with your child as well as going through the sounds each day. Thank you for your support!



We have continued to think about caring for our world in Science and Geography. We discussed the importance of conserving energy and the children designed posters to encourage us to turn lights off, only use the car if we have to, having showers rather than baths, putting rubbish in the correct bins etc. It is up to us to take care of our world.



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