

Year 1 Term 2: Sweets Galore!

Welcome back! Over the course of Term 2, your child will begin to receive word bags. When new words have been taught they will be added to the bag and we ask that you look over these frequently.



Compulsory Homework Activities

- Read your reading book at least 3x a week at home but ideally every day to build prosody
- Share additional stories together as a family and talk about the key events together.
- Use your word bags to practice sight reading of the words we have learnt in school.

Weekly Homework Menu:

To support your child's learning, we have devised a menu of ideas that you can do at home. The idea is that each week you choose one of the activities to try. If you want to repeat an activity in different ways, that is absolutely fine too!

<u>Literacy Homework ideas</u>	<u>Maths Homework ideas</u>
Choose 3 common exception words and write them using rainbow or pyramid writing.	Gather a selection of objects at home. Can you count them up and write the number?
Draw pictures of friends, family or characters in story books you have read. Practice your capital letters to write their names.	Practice counting in 2's going forwards and backwards from 0. Challenge: Can you start from any number?
Draw a picture about your weekend. Label or write a sentence to explain your picture	Choose any number. Can you count forwards and backwards from this number?

Additional Topic Homework Ideas- To do throughout the Term

To support our topic learning, we invite children to engage with projects such as the examples given below. These are only *suggested activities* and we welcome your creativity so if your child has a different idea that links to the topic- brilliant!

<u>Possible Ideas for Sweets Galore:</u>	
Design a new sweet wrapper	Research how your favourite sweets are made or where they come from.
Make some sweet treats of your own with a grownups help	Conduct a survey about favourite sweets in your family.
Write a recipe for a new type of sweet treat.	Make a poster about your favourite sweets.
Create your own sweet factory (using junk modelling)	An idea of your own ☺

Please note that any learning that children have completed is welcomed to be shared via Evidence Me, we would love to see it ☺

Thank you for your continued support. The KS1 Team.