

Year One News

Friday 9th February



Phonics

In phonics this week we have recapped the sounds: ay ea ie oe ue and looked at the other spellings that we already know for these sounds too.

Please see separate Supersonic Phonics newsletter for more information.



English

This week we went on an imaginary journey to Jen Gineer's workshop and thought about what we might be able to see, hear and feel. We then put this into a poem and tried to use alliteration e.g. I can see **b**right **b**uttons. I can hear **c**ogs **c**lanking. The challenge this week was to have a go at including similes as well e.g. I can hear **h**ammers **h**itting **a**s **l**oud **a**s **t**hunder.

Maths

This week in maths we started off by estimating using a number line and then moved onto comparing numbers using these symbols $<$ $>$ $=$ and ordering numbers.

Don't forget to keep having a go on the 1 Minute Maths app and fill in your record sheet!

Science

We had fun this week finding out which objects and materials were opaque, transparent and translucent to help Jen Gineer keep her invention top secret. We can't wait to report all of our findings back to her soon!

History

This week we learned about another important aviator from history – Bessie Coleman. We learned about why she is significant, why she was called 'Brave Bess' and made comparisons between her and Amelia Earhart.



Dates for your diary

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14th and 15th February – Grandparents invited into classrooms from 2:30 for Intergenerational Week

16th February – Last day

26th February – Back to school

5th March (2:00) – Diversity café for parents

7th March - World book day (wear PJs or dress as a book character)

7th and 8th March – Grown ups invited into classrooms from 2:30 to share stories for World Book Week

11th March (1:45) – Jade café

13th March (1:45) – Emerald Café

19th and 20th March – Parents evening

27th March – Last day

Don't forget about Norwich Science Festival happening over half term – see Tapestry post from Mrs Easlea for more details.

