

Year 1 Weekly Learning



Information about some of the things we will be learning in the **Week Beginning 28th February**

R.E. Special Meals: Reveal



We recall what Mass means; the special meal Catholics celebrate in Church, finding out about how the Priest blesses and gives Bread and Wine to the people.

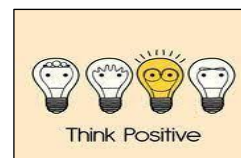
We will then listen to the Bible story that helps us understand that Jesus told his followers to celebrate and remember him using Bread and Wine in this way at The Last Supper – a special meal He had with his disciples.



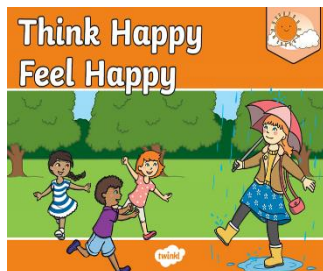
This week we also mark the beginning of Lent – a special time of preparing for Easter. We have written Lenten promises and will take part in an Ash Wednesday assembly when we can receive ashes and remember Jesus.

PHSE

Positive Thinking



Our Big Questions this week are:
What is positive thinking?
How can it make us feel good?



We will look at pictures and talk about what we see about the feelings of the people we see. Talking in pairs or small groups we will think about what things make us feel good or bad.

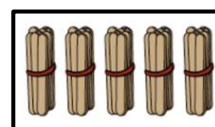
We start to understand that focussing on happy thoughts can make us feel better when we are worried or sad by sharing a story together and looking at what a 'Silver Lining' or a 'Bright Side' to a situation might be.



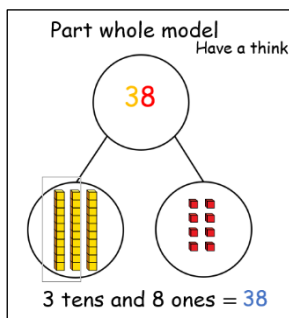
Maths

We continue using **Numbers to 50**

5 sets of 10



We will learn about how **Sets of 10 and Ones** help us to understand what the two digits in numbers such as 38 mean. Looking at pictures that represent these numbers we see what the number means and where it can fit on a number grid or number square.



We will write the numbers, identifying which digit means tens or ones and then record these using part-part-whole method.

At home you can practise counting to 50 in 1s or 10. Here are some fun songs to use: <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=W8CEOIAOGas>
<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=8P-xAtbnWxs>

10s and 1s in each one.

Also try writing 2 digit numbers saying how many

English

A traditional story based in China called **The Magic Paintbrush** is our new book. We will listen carefully and answer questions about the characters and their actions and feelings.

To help us remember the story we will create some actions as we retell it and then recall and record the main events on a story mountain.

Here is a version you can listen to at home <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=z-0JZPzBDMc>



Computing

Practising how to use our own Log In information to access the school computers and the Purple Mash website independently continues. Learning can be supported online with Purple Mash at home.



Music

We start learning a new song called Round and Round which is in a musical style called Bossa Nova. We will follow the beat of the music by clapping and other body movement.



P.E.

Please come to school in P.E. Clothes on P.E. days which are **Mondays and Thursdays for Class 1J** and **Thursdays and Fridays for Class 1S**



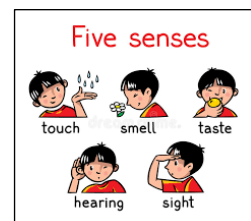
We develop our 'Travelling and Agility Skills' by thinking about the movements made by a train – moving at different speeds along straight lines and stopping safely.

We will also continue to play games involving passing/ handling equipment such as hoops, balls, quoits.

Topic – Science

Ourselves: Our Senses

We start a new series of lessons in science exploring our senses: hearing, sight, smell, touch and taste.



This week we will be investigating Hearing by going out on a listening walk to hear sounds in the environment.

To further explore sounds we will make with home-made sounds makers such as box shakers, paper-cup telephones with string and box guitars. We'll be thinking about how the pitch and the type of noise (timbre) changes when we change the materials we use.

You might like to try some of these ideas at home too:

<https://www.science-sparks.com/making-music-with-red-ted-art/>

