

Please complete the maths sheet.

This week in Poplar Class we have been:

- very excited because Beegu crash landed outside our classroom when we reading a story about her! We looked after Beegu and wrote questions to ask her, such as, Why have you come to our school? Do you have any friends? Would you like to be our friend? We have started to write a newspaper report about this exciting event!
- learning to form numbers correctly, counting in 1s, 2s, 3s, 5s and 10s from 0-100 starting from any number (backwards), subtracting one number from another number – either by using a printed number line or column method subtraction
- In phonics, group 1 have been learning the split digraphs e_e (these) and i_e (bike) and group 2 have been consolidating their learning of all phase 3 sounds and tricky words and starting to read longer words. Year 2 have been working on written comprehension and learning to use a dictionary to check spellings and meanings of words.
- starting to join letters in handwriting
- writing shopping lists in our role play area
- visited by the fire service! Please look at our class page to see pictures and information.
- preparing turkey and pepper pittas – yum!

To support your child at home you could:

- read daily - we now have yellow fruit-based bookmarks with 5 to collect this term!
- prepare with your child their show and tell – please see term 2a letter for the dates
- have a go at cooking this week's recipe or making a similar one. This week - <https://www.bbcgoodfood.com/recipes/741642/turkey-and-pepper-pittas>
- role play what to do in the event of a fire/an emergency. The children were very interested by the fire service visit. They found out they had to dial 999 and ask for the correct emergency service, that they should know their home address off by heart so they can tell the emergency services if the emergency is at home and to stop, drop and roll if their clothing catches fire

Useful dates

Stay and Play – Thursday 1st February

Oliver performance – Wednesday 7th February (day time and evening), Thursday 8th February (evening only)

Every Thursday – mindfulness and well-being club for Oak and Poplar run by Mrs McDaid. Please ask your child if they would like to sign up if they haven't already – it is free 3.15 – 4.15pm. The children will take part in various activities to relax and be still. Activities such as; cosmic kids meditation and cosmic kids yoga (www.cosmickids.com), listening to relaxing music, colouring, reading, and exercise.

Please keep checking our 'Poplar class' page on the website for photos/ updates of what we have been learning about! <http://www.st-blaise.oxon.sch.uk/category/poplar/>