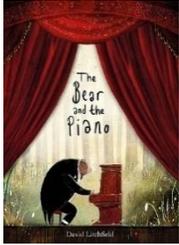


Year 2 Birch and Lime class weekly overview

Week commencing 23/11/20

	Learning Objective	Suggested Activities
Literacy	<p>This week we are going to focus on our key text 'The Bear and the Piano' by David Litchfield.</p> 	<p>This week we will be continuing to rewrite the story of 'The Bear and the Piano', using our story maps to support us.</p>
Phonics	<p>Please ask your child's teacher which phase your child is learning or which teacher they are working with if they can't remember.</p>	<p>Phase 3 (Miss Snell's group)- This week we will be recapping some other sounds from last year that we need to practise before learning new ones. These sounds are; 'y', 'z', 'zz' and 'qu'. We are writing words such as; yet, yuck, yum, zip, zigzag, buzz, fuzzi, fizza, quick, quack, queen</p> <p>Then we are having a go at writing some simple sentences, for example; The zip was stuck. The drink went fizza. The duck went quack.</p> <p>Tricky words to practise are; We, me, she, be, he</p> <p>Phase 3 (Mrs Glew's group) - This week we will be recapping some other sounds from last year that we need to practise before learning new ones. These sounds are; 'er', 'air', 'ure' and 'oo' (short sound). We are writing words such as;</p>

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		<p>Fern, her, jerk, fair, pair, hair, sure, pure, cure, look, good, book, cook Then we are having a go at writing some simple sentences such as; Her hair was fair. She was a good cook.</p> <p>Tricky words to practise are; they, then and them</p> <p><u>Phase 5 (Mrs Giles' group)</u> - This week we will be practising the digraphs 'o-e', 'u-e' (as in 'oo') and 'u-e' (as in 'you'). We will practise reading and writing words such as; bone, home, note, alone, stone, woke, June, prune, flute, rude, rule, brute, huge, cube, use, tube</p> <p>We will then practise putting these into sentences.</p> <p>Practise all tricky words so far; they, them, then, oh, old, their, said, so, people, house, about, have, like, Mr, Mrs, don't, by, some, come, look, time, your, called, were asked and there</p> <p><u>Phase 5/6 (Mrs Walker's group)</u>- This week we will be practising spelling words including all of the alternative 'ear' sounds. For example, 'ere', 'ier' and 'eer'. Which words can you think of? Can you write them in a sentence? We will be practising adding the suffix 'es'. Try adding the suffix 'es' to these words; 'bush', 'catch' and 'pass' Then try adding the suffix 'es' to these words; 'baby', 'lady' and 'body'. Remember the rule is different for these words as you change the 'y' to an 'i'.</p>
<p>Maths</p>	<p>We will be learning about money and its value. We will discuss why it is</p>	<p>This week we will be looking at different coins and learning to recognize each of their value. We will have a go at putting these coins into order from the smallest value to the biggest.</p>

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	important to be able to handle money.	
Science	We will be learning about why it is so important to have a good hygiene.	We will be learning about the importance of having good hygiene. We will be thinking about all of the different ways that we can keep ourselves clean e.g. brushing our teeth, washing our hands, making sure we are wearing clean clothes and having a wash every day. We will write a couple of sentences about our routines to keep ourselves clean.
Geography/Forest School	We will be locating where we live.	This week we will be locating where we live on maps. We will look at 'Google Earth' and various maps to find Stonehouse. We will talk about what is in Stonehouse and whether is it a hamlet, village, town or city. Are what makes it this?
DT	We will be creating a forest scene also inspired by our key text 'The Bear and the Piano'	We will create forest scenes using shoe boxes and other materials.
PE	We will be focusing on multi-skills.	We are learning to master basic movements including running, jumping, throwing and catching, as well as developing balance, agility and co-ordination. We will begin to apply these in a range of activities such as circuit training and team games. We are also enjoying Cosmic Kids Yoga to warm up and stretch and well as practising dances such as 'Just Dance', 'Go Noodle' and 'Kids Bop' on YouTube.
Please continue to read your reading books at home and bring them back to school on a Monday and a Friday to be changed where possible.		