# Tuesday 23<sup>rd</sup> June 2020

Dear parents,

We hope you have had a good start to another week of home learning. Please remember to send any questions your child may have about Year 1 so that we can answer as many as possible. As our thematic challenge is coming to an end, we will post a fun quiz to complete with your children today about magical creatures. There is a nice outdoor activity today to read a book outside so it would be lovely to see some photographs of this, alongside any other work your child completes. As always, if you have any questions please do not hesitate to contact myself or Miss Howes. Below are today's activities:

## Phonics 23/6/2020

#### Pack 1

Watch the following video that will aid children's use of the /ur/ digraph:

"Mr Thorne does phonics – episode /ur/" - https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=Q49YSWKPyVo

Draw it Activity — Read the word/caption and draw a picture of it in the box.

#### Pack 2

/ai/ words (as in pain)

Read the words and draw a line to the picture that matches

### Maths 23/6/2020

This activity could be completed with toys, sweets or something your child would be quick to point out hasn't been shared fairly! Get two plates/boxes or baskets and a group of toys, sweets, biscuits etc and purposefully share them unfairly. Ask your child if you have shared the objects out equally; when they point out your mistake ask them to explain what you have done wrong. Allow your child to correct your mistake and address any misconceptions that they may have. Encourage them to use language such as "share", "half", "fair", "same" "equal". The treat at the end could be that they get to eat or play with whatever they have been using.

Extra challenge- Challenge your child with the question "can you halve all numbers fairly?"

# **Handwriting 23/6/2020**

### Pack 1

Please dictate this sentence to your child and ask them to write it in their neatest handwriting. Remind them of writing on the line and keeping their letters the same size.

I can wait for my turn.

Extra challenge- write another sentence with a word containing the /ur/ sound.

#### Pack 2

Ask your child to practise writing the /ai/ grapheme using their best handwriting. Remind them to write the a first and to use a finger space after the i.

# Comprehension 23/6/2020



#### Retrieve

- How many animals are in the illustration? How many different types of animal are there?
- What type of setting are the characters in?

## Vocabulary

- Who is upset in this illustration? What does the word "upset" mean? Can you think of any synonyms of the word "upset"?
- Which of these creatures live in a pond?

## Outdoor activity 23/6/2020

### **Outdoor reading**

Take your favourite book outside with you and share it with somebody. What interesting or comfortable place can you find outside? How does it make you feel to read outside? Share it with your teacher.

## Please read this message to your child:

Good morning children,

We hope you have had a good start at learning how to halve and with your new phonics digraphs this week. We know learning new things can be difficult at first but stick at it and you will do great. There will be a quiz today about magical creatures so have a go and see if you can impress us with all you know. We would love to see some more photographs of your learning and where you find a nice place to read outside so send us some and you will get some more Dojo points. Good luck with your work today, I am sure you can make your parents and teachers super proud!

Have a nice day,

Mr Carr and Miss Howes.