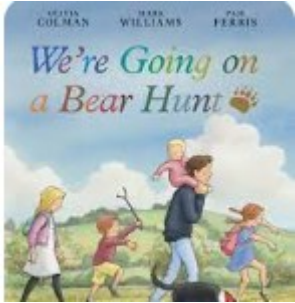


Reception 'Spring 1

English



This half term we will be reading 'We're Going on a Bear Hunt'; all children were given a copy of this story book from Father Christmas so please remember to share it at home. We will be learning to retell the story independently using our talk for writing actions. We will be also be focusing on writing short captions ; the children will be encouraged to use 'Fred Fingers' to sound out the words they want to write. We will also have a focus on oracy, where we will be encouraging children to speak in full sentences and use voice projection.



Children take home two new reading books each week ; a book that they can read on their own and a library book. Please take the time to read with your child everyday at home. Please also make sure that your child brings their book bag and book every-day.

Maths



In maths this half term we will be focusing on number bonds to 5- all of the different ways that numbers to 5 can be made. We will also revisit capacity- heavy and light and will learn about the word 'balance' and what it means.

The World

This half term we will be learning all about different animals and the habitats that they live in. We will also be looking at famous pirates and create our own treasure maps.