



Dear Parents and Carers 16.11.2020

Welcome to the third week of Term 2!

Both classes have really enjoyed the start of their new learning journey 'Fire and Ice'.
Why not ask your child what they know about Guy Fawkes?

This week we will continue our learning on 'The Emperor's Egg' as our key text.

Please can you ensure that your child has returned their PE kit to the academy so that they have their own change of clothes for PE.

If you have any concerns or questions, please get in touch by emailing the academy office for the attention of your child's teacher.

Maths

This week we will continue to look at fact families before moving onto exploring subtraction from numbers up to and including 10.

We will be making use of practical resources to solve subtraction number problems.

English

This week we will continue our key text 'The Emperor's Egg'

We will be looking at the lifecycle of a penguin and writing about it.

We will also be writing our own simple poems about penguins to describe how they move.

Science

This week, we will be exploring ice. We will be observing ice over time to see what happens to it. We will be predicting what could happen and then checking to see what the results are!

Sounds Write

This week we will continue looking at the extended code.

We will be beginning to explore the sound /oe/ and words containing the spellings 'o', 'oa', 'ow' & 'o_e'

Please could you practice the following words based on our phonics this week. Look at the spellings 'o', 'oa', 'ow' & 'o_e'. Can you think of other words with these sounds?

No, go, so, cold, boat, gloat, foam, load, flow, glow, bowl, throw, bone, phone, home.



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Reading at Home

To ensure that your child is making good progress with their reading, it is important that they can do more than just read the words in the book. Their comprehension of what is happening in their reading book is very important.

Here are some example questions below to try at home:

- What can you tell me about the story so far?
- What is your favourite part of the story? Why?
- What is the title of the book?
- Can you describe what happens at this part of the story?
- What do you think will happen next? Why?
- How do you think the character is feeling at this part of the story?
- How didfeel when..... happened?
- Why do you think did in the story?
- Who would you wish to be in the story? Why?