Year 1 News Thursday 21st May 2026

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Notice board:

End of Topic: Thank you for everyone who attended our end of topic celebration. The children really enjoyed sharing their poem and song with you and creating their fabulous masks!

Show and Tell Tuesday:
Please can we remind you that this should be something related to our topic 'Dinosaur Planet' or an achievement. Please rehearse with your child what they would like to say.

2nd June – Zog
9th June – Stickman
16th June – Tiddler
23rd June – Highway Rat
30th June – Gruffalo

Warmer weather: Please ensure your child has a named water bottle and sun hat at school.

P.E Kits: Please ensure all P.E kits are returned after the half term break.

MATHS

After half term the children will be looking at finding $\frac{1}{2}$ and $\frac{1}{4}$ of a given amount. They will learn the associated language such as denominator and numerator. They will link this learning to $\frac{1}{2}$ and $\frac{1}{4}$ of shapes.

English/Topic

In English, we will be continue with our RWI sessions.

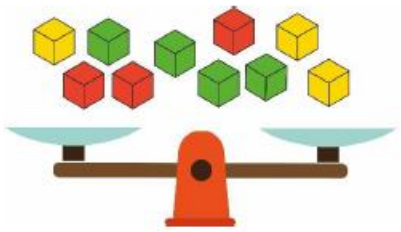
After half term we will be starting our new dinosaur topic! The children will find an amazing dinosaur egg on the first day back after half term and throughout the week we will be busy writing newspaper articles about our discovery!
(Please can we ask that you do not tell them about this).
They will also have the opportunity to discover what has hatched from the mysterious egg!!

Home Learning

Talk Task:
At home you could have a look at a newspaper with your child and discuss the different features: photographs, headings, facts etc.

Maths Task:

If the cubes are shared equally to make the scales balance, how many would be on each side?



Reading Task: Please ensure you read with your child every night and **record** this in their reading record.
Here are the links to the RWI special friends **'ir'**, **'er'** and **Speed Minutes with Maya**.
You can increase the speed of the video by clicking the settings cog -> speed -> 1.25
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Red Word spelling: my, because, come