

# Foundation Home Learning



Montpelier  
Primary School  
*Learning Together  
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4<sup>th</sup> – 8<sup>th</sup> February 2019

After an unexpected 'Snow Day' and a three day weekend, the children have come back to school ready to be super learners. We have been learning about our new Golden Learning Behaviour, Believe in Yourself, and the children have certainly been applying this with their approach to our Progress Writes that have been carried out this week - we are very proud of them all!

We have had a re-cap week in Phonics this week to consolidate our learning and apply the Phase 3 phonemes and digraphs that Len has taught us. We have been reading words to see if we can spot the digraphs and then practise writing them - with a particular emphasis on how each letter is formed. We constantly need to practise this and for the children to be encouraged at home as forming the letters correctly has a huge impact on their confidence and ability to write. If you need any support with the 'ditties' please do ask your class teacher, we will give you a digraph sheet at Parent's Evening. In Literacy our book of the week has been 'Superworm' and we have enjoyed writing letters to ask Superworm for help. Alongside this we have been on worm hunts, digging for worms and have learnt how to make a Wormery

In Maths we have been learning about fractions, how to split groups into equal numbers and separate groups into half. Farmer Nick needed help to feed his cows and we had to talk about the best possible way to do this fairly.

Home Learning:

- **WORMS** - Can your home learning this week be based around Superworm? This can be digging for worms, going on a worm walk, making worm spaghetti, writing a letter to Superworm (maybe you could post it to the school for us to read in class?) We cannot wait to see your worm adventures on Tapestry. Any real worms you may find, please feel free to keep these at home!

## Dates for the week ahead:

**Tuesday 12<sup>th</sup> February: Coffee Morning** - It is so lovely to see Parents, Carers and Family members at our Foundation Coffee morning every Tuesday 8.40-9.30. Please do pop in for a cuppa and a chat if you are free

**Tuesday 12<sup>th</sup> and Wednesday 13<sup>th</sup> February:** Parent Consultation Evening - Please remember to use eSchools to book an appointment if you haven't done so already

**Wednesday 13<sup>th</sup> February** - Love Riding Bike Day - Children can bring bikes and helmets to school to complete and obstacle course

**Friday 15<sup>th</sup> February:** Break for half term

- We unfortunately have nits going around again - please check your children