

## Year 1 Newsletter

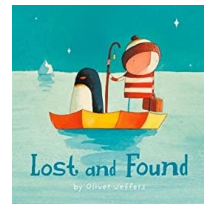
Friday 13<sup>th</sup> June 2025

Dear Parent / Carer,

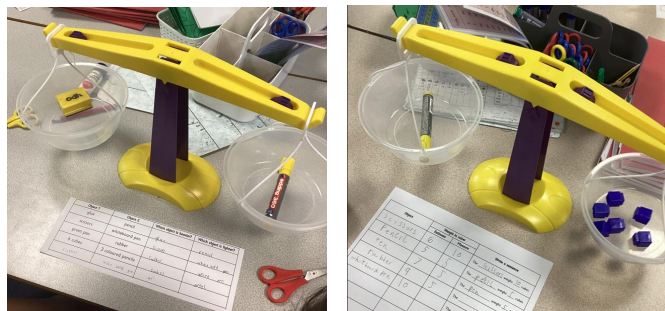
This week all pupils in Year 1 took part in the Phonics Screening Check. Over the coming weeks, once schools have received notification of the threshold mark, we will let you know whether your child met the required standard. Any pupils who scored below the pass mark will receive additional phonics support in school, before attempting the check again in June 2026.

During Phonics lessons, our focus sounds have been 'dge' as in fudge, 'ge' village, 'y' as in crystal, 'su' as in usual, and 'si' as in mission. Our tricky words for the week have been: shoe, improve, move, parents, once, eye and friend. These are the words the children need to be able to sight read.

In English, we have continued with our retelling of the story 'Lost and Found' by Oliver Jeffers.



In Maths, we have been exploring weight and mass using balance scales. Using the balance scales, the children were able to compare heavier and lighter classroom items.



### Dates for your diary:

Summer Fair: Thursday 19<sup>th</sup> June

Year 1 Ponderosa Visit: Tuesday 1<sup>st</sup> July

Y1 Sports Day: Thursday 3<sup>rd</sup> July- 9.30-10.30 (parents welcome to come and watch)

Many Thanks

Miss Hepworth and Miss Nicholson