Year 1 Autumn 2 Spellings

How it works:

These are the spellings your child will see each week on Spelling Shed. Each Friday your child will see a new list of spellings to learn at home. A spelling quiz will take place the following Friday to test how well your child has learned their spellings. Your child's spelling score will be sent home in their homework folder. Spellings will be sent home over the half term holiday ready for a test the first week back.

Week 1 Words with digraphs 'ai' and 'oi' **Test:** 12/11	**Week 2** Words with digraphs 'ay' and 'oy' **Test:** 19/11	**Week 3** Words with the split digraph 'a_e' **Test:** 26/11	**Week 4** Words with the split digraph 'e_e' **Test:** 03/12	**Week 5** Words with the split digraph 'i_e' **Test:** 10/12	**Week 6** Words with the split digraph 'o_e' **Test:** 17/12	**Week 7** Words with the split digraph 'u_e' **Test:** 07.01
rain	day	made	even	five	home	June
point	play	take	complete	ride	those	huge
train	cowboy	came	these	like	phone	tune
afraid	enjoy	same	athlete	slide	hope	flute
oil	stay	mistake	delete	mine	woke	rude
join	toy	safe	eve	time	spoke	use
coin	say	plate	extreme	side	hole	rule
soil	clay	snowflake	evening	fire	out	little
you	**his**	**as**	**my**	**what**	**have**	**put**
is	**has**	**by**	**ask**	**when**	**like**	**push**

Year 1 Autumn 2 Spellings Group 2

How it works:

These are the spellings your child will see each week on Spelling Shed. Each Friday your child will see a new list of spellings to learn at home. A spelling quiz will take place the following Friday to test how well your child has learned their spellings. Your child's spelling score will be sent home in their homework folder. Spellings will be sent home over the half term holiday ready for a test the first week back.

Week 1- j,v,w,x,y,,z Test: 12/11	**Week 2- CVCC words Test:** 19/11	**Week 3- CCVC words Test:** 26/11	**Week 4- sh words Test:** 03/12	**Week 5- ch words Test:** 10/12	**Week 6- th words Test:** 17.12	Week 7 – qu words Test: 07.01
jam	soft	frog	shop	chop	thin	quiz
jog	belt	stop	shed	chip	thick	quit
van	jump	drag	shut	chill	them	quid
vet	bump	drum	ship	chin	that	quick
web	hand	slip	shell	check	this	quack
fox	sand	club	rush	rich	moth	quill
yes	lift	crab	push	such	bath	quiff
buzz	camp	flag	fish	much	with	quin
of	**as**	**he**	**we**	**are**	**so**	**he**
is	**his**	**she**	**they**	**said**	**have**	**she**

Optional Science Homework

How it works:

You will get four house points for handing in one of the Science tasks. You can present your homework in the style of your choice. If you choose to complete the optional homework, please return it by Monday 4th January 2027.

This half term, we will be learning all about changes across the seasons – specifically Autumn and Winter. Here are some examples of projects you may complete:

- Go on a walk to the park – what signs of the season can you see? Take pictures or collect items
- Make a poster showing all the signs of the season
- Make a collage out of seasonal things you can find outside
- Keep a weather chart – what is the weather like each day? How does it change over time?
- Make a rain gauge and record how much rainfall we have over a period of time
- Write a seasonal poem describing the changes you can see happening outside



Year 1

Science

Autumn 2

Our Science topic is Seasonal Changes (Autumn and Winter)

Useful Google searches:

Google Maps

Google Earth

Dear parent/carers

As part of our development of maths fluency and number recall, we have a Key Instant Recall Fact (KIRF) focus each half term for each year group. These are number facts the children need to recall fluently. In school, within the mental maths sessions, one objective will be practised for each half term in order for children to really embed and learn the facts quickly and deeply.

In order for the children to practise these at home as well, we are providing you with an information sheet, which explains the KIRF in more detail, with examples of what it looks like, games to play and websites to visit. The idea is that you can help them recall the facts little and often and work with us to ensure our children are as fluent with recalling number facts as they can be.

Many thanks,

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KIRF's Key Stage One Overview						
Year group	Autumn 1	Autumn 2	Spring 1	Spring 2	Summer 1	Summer 2
One	Number facts to 10	Counting in 10's forwards and backward	Doubles and halves to 20	Number facts for all numbers within 10	Counting in 5's forwards and backwards	Counting in 2's forwards and backwards
Two	Number facts within 10 to generate number facts within 20	Multiplication and division facts for 2 times table	Number facts within 10 to generate number facts for multiples of 10	Multiplication and division facts for 5 times table	Multiplication and division facts for 10 times table	Doubles to 20 to recall near doubles to 20

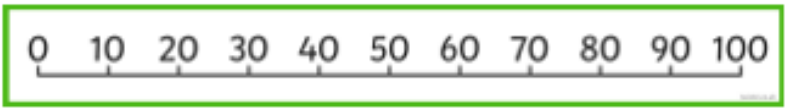
Key Instant Recall Facts (KIRF's)
Year 1 Autumn 2

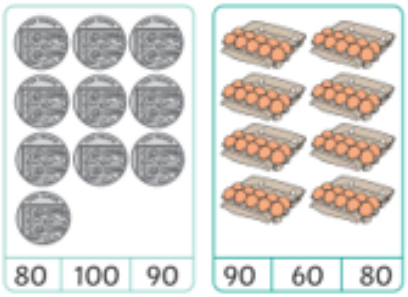
Key Instant Recall Facts are number facts that we want our children to be fluent with and able to recall instantly.

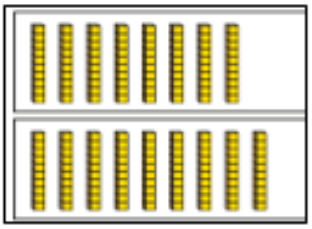
By the end of this half term children in year 1 should be able to

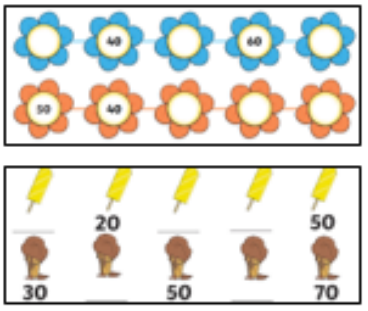
count in 10's forwards and backwards

What this looks like:









Practical ideas

Roll some 10p coins onto the table and count the total amount.
Write some multiples of 10 onto small squares of paper- order them correctly.
Write some multiples of 10 onto small squares of paper- hide some. Which ones are missing?

Vocabulary

multiple
repeated addition
fives
lots of
groups of
forwards
backwards

Online games:

Caterpillar Ordering - An Ordering and Sequencing Game (topmarks.co.uk) (sequencing, counting in multiples, multiples of 10)
Duck Shoot- Duck Shoot - tablet friendly (ictgames.com) (click the duck with 10)
https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/topics/zknsgk7/articles/z87yn9q

The secret to success is practising little and often. Can you practise these KIRFs while walking to school or during a car journey? You do not need to practise them all at once; perhaps you could have a fact of the day. If you would like more ideas, please speak to your child's teacher.