

10th – 17th November

The children have really impressed us this week with how well they have settled back into school after the half term break. We have started to prepare for our nativity and have been busy learning songs. The children will have spellings, which will be tested on a **Friday**, a maths activity and reading. Home school communication books should be returned to school on a **Wednesday**.

Please go to our class page on the school website - <https://www.st-matthewsbloxam.co.uk/>

Please find below the summary of our week in school.

English	This week, we have been reading a new book called "The Dark" it is about a little boy who is afraid of the dark and how he overcomes his fear. This week, we have been writing descriptions and giving the main character advice focussing on using conjunctions and adjectives. Next week, we will write our own versions of the story.
Maths	We have continued to learn about addition and subtraction this week. We have been adding and subtracting 2 two-digit numbers where we need to exchange a ten. Next week, we will continue to learn about addition and subtraction.
Science	We have been finding out about and investigating wood, paper and cardboard this week. Next week, we will investigate brick and rock.

Homework tasks

Spellings – -el at the end of a word.

Spellings	Copy	Check
camel		
tunnel		
squirrel		
travel		
towel		
tinsel		
hazel		
vowel		
angel		
jewel		

Record your reading here



One minute maths.

<https://whiteroseeducation.com/1-minute-maths>

Addition worksheet. Use the space in the box to draw base 10 (tens and ones) to help you.

Diary Dates

If you would like to email anything to us, please use admin3213@welearn365.com and put it to the attention of Year 2.

Our PE day this half term is **Monday**. Children should come to school wearing their PE kits on this day.

We appreciate your continued support from home.

Many thanks, Miss Cartledge and Mrs Stock.