

WC: 21st October 2024

Welcome to our home school communication! Each week you will get an overview of the class learning and will be set some home tasks too, including 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/> There are lots of photographs showcasing all our amazing work.

Please find below the summary of our week in school.	
English	The children have completed the book 'The Bee Who Spoke'. To conclude this half term, the children have written their own narrative independently.
Maths	'Addition and subtraction within 10'. This week the children have been doing addition by adding together, adding one more and addition problems (for example, $4+1=5$, $_{+}5=8$ and $2+_{-}=10$ and so forth). The children have used mathematical language (first, there is 2 then 4 more and now there is 6). The children used ten frames and counters to do a practical lesson.
Science	This week, the children have written what they have learned about the four seasons, recapping from all the learning they have done this half term. We will be starting a new topic after half term.
Homework tasks	
Remember to keep reading every day!	Record your reading here:
	
Maths activity mat. Please continue to practise phase 2, 3 and phase 5 sounds.	
Diary dates: Parents evening is on Monday 11th November and Wednesday 13th November 2024. The children have worked very hard this half-term and we would like to thank all the parents for their support in your children's learning. Also, we would like to thank you for ensuring the children are completing their homework. We hope you all enjoy a well-deserved half-term.	

Next half, term we will PE on a Monday only. Children should come to school in their PE kit. We are just having one PE lesson this half term due to nativity rehearsals. We will send out more information about the nativity after half term.

Many thanks,

Mrs. Whitell, Mrs. Franklin and Mrs. Clarke,