



Foundation Stage News

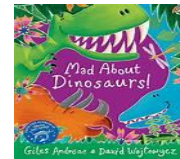
St Francis Class

Week Beginning: 28/2/22

We have a new and exciting topic for this half term - 'Fantastic Beasts and where to find them!' We will be finding out about dinosaurs, dragons and minibeasts!

For the next few weeks we will be focussing on dinosaurs. We will be reading dinosaur poems and using non-fiction texts to find out dinosaur facts.

We will be using the books 'Mad about Dinosaurs' and 'First Facts: Dinosaurs'.

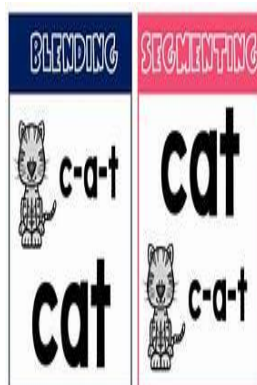


The phonics we are working on reading and writing are:

qu, ch, sh, th, ng, ai, ee, igh, oa, oo/oo

We are learning that two letters that make one sound are called 'digraphs'. We are also learning that three letters that make one sound are called 'trigraphs'.

We are working on writing the letters correctly and using them in our reading and writing with growing independence.



Maths:

We use 'White Rose Maths' to help plan our maths along with the rest of the school.

In St Francis' class we have worked through the numbers 0 to 10. We have looked at representing the number, comparing numbers and the composition of each number. We have also looked at one more and one less.

Through this the children are developing a great understanding of number.



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Here is a reminder of how we write our letters in school. Some letters stay on the grass, some go up into the sky and some go down into the mud.

