

Friday 26th January 2018

This week we have been learning about penguins and writing factual sentences about them. In order to try and remember our sentences we put actions with them. Ask your child to show you the actions to 'Penguins can swim' or 'Penguins eat fish and krill'. In maths we have been working on our addition skills; reading number sentences, recognising numerals and counting carefully. We have then used these skills for solving problems.

Letters and Sounds We have been revising the digraph 'ng' and learning about the spelling rule for when we use 'nk'. We have also been identifying vowels and consonants.

Next week we will be learning about polar bears and writing factual sentences about them. In maths we will be focusing on repeating patterns and symmetry.

Banana penguins Thank you for sending in the bananas ... the chocolate made them really yummy!

Thanks to the amazing generosity of some of our parents we have been able to purchase new furniture for our reading area! It is fantastic and the children love sharing their stories in comfort!



Weekly challenge Help your child to complete the addition word problems on the accompanying sheet. Encourage them to draw their answers and then write the addition number sentence.

With best wishes,

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