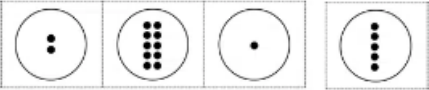


Year Group: **Year One**

# Talk to me about

## Summer Term 15<sup>th</sup> May 2026



What we wanted to learn	What we did	What I could do at home to help me with my learning
<p><b>Literacy</b> We were learning about proof-reading our writing.</p>	<p>We read a book called 'The Storm Whale'. It was about a child who was feeling very lonely and how helping a beached whale, helped them to make new friends. We have been writing our own stories. To proof-read, we check our finger spaces, punctuation and spelling.</p>	<p>You could go to the library and choose a book with a sea theme. You could write your own stories and read them to your grown up at bedtime as a treat for them. Please continue to read at home.</p>
<p><b>Mathematics</b> We are continuing to count in twos, fives and tens.</p>	<p>We have been looking at coins and using these pre-money tokens below to decide the value of the coins. We noticed the value of the coin is not represented by the size of the coin. We have been learning the names and values of the 1p, 2p, 5p and 10p.</p> 	<p>Please help us to count in twos, fives and tens at home as this is quite tricky to do. A challenge would be to count backwards. You could set up your own shop at home and pay for the items with 1p, 2p, 5p or 10p. This is a great way to count in equal groups of 1, 2, 5 and 10.</p>

Words to practise spelling this week:

have children said (The rhyme we use is: small ants in danger)

Word aware words:

You could practise saying this word in a sentence or see if you can spot it in a book.

**miserable**

Maths Mental Fluency: Count forwards and backwards in twos, fives and tens using coins.

**Coming Up!**

Thank you all for your support with the DT puppet making. We are all so pleased with them. They looked exactly like the original drawings, and it was wonderful to see them come to life.

21<sup>st</sup> May - Beach Trip

22<sup>nd</sup> May - INSET

25<sup>th</sup> May - 29<sup>th</sup> May - Half Term Holiday

Monday 1<sup>st</sup> June - First day back after half term.

**Saturday 27<sup>th</sup> June - Summer Fair**

Phonics Screening Assessment- Please continue to read at home with your children as they are making great progress in their reading.

Have a great half term.

The Year 1 Team.