Physical Development

We will be focussing on handwriting during our writing group sessions to ensure letters are correctly formed. We will use our new handwriting paper. Our PE focus this half term is sports races in preparation for our Sports Day.

Understanding the world

In computing we will be using the iPads to research tigers and find out more about why they are in danger and what we can do to help.



Literacy

Our main text this half term is The Last Tiger. We will be learning to tell this story orally and will be exploring all of its fantastic vocabulary. The text will make us think about endangered animals and what we can do to help. We will write some tiger facts and then create posters to persuade others to help tigers too.

Key Vocabulary: Powerful, overpowered, captivity, captured, weaker, freedom.

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Personal, Social and Emotional

We will be finding out our new year 1 classes and getting to know the adults that will be working with us. We will talk about how we feel when changes take place.



Expressive Art and Design We will be developing our drawing skills as we look closely at a tiger

face and recreate our

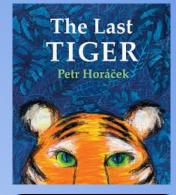
own to paint.



Later in the term we will be inviting parents and carers into school to view our art gallery. Your child's tiger art work will be on display to buy. The children would like to raise some money for the WWF charity which we will learn lots about this term.

Mathematics

We will be using a range of resources to help us to learn number bonds to ten. We will be thinking about finding one more and one less than a given number; using resources, a number line and the 100 square to help us. We will be using numicon to help us discover what teen numbers are made up of. "13 is one 10 and 3 more".



Communication and Language

We will be using lots of new vocabulary this half term as we explore where we live and other places around the world which are different to ours. We will be using words like towns, cities, beaches, sky scrapers, countryside.

Challenge me at home to...

Talk about my new classroom and the things I am looking forward to. Name all of my new teachers. Think about and celebrate the amazing things I have achieved this year.