**Topaz Reception - Homework**

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|  | Week 2 – 3rd March 2025The children had a great first week back last week and cracked straight on with getting on with all their work with a great attitude. They are continuing to enjoy learning about the Rainforest and have also been developing their knowledge and understanding of the Easter Story. It has been wonderful to listen to some of the childrens’ really in-depth discussion. Well done to everyone!**Maths** In class this week we have been practising our number recognition skills with both numerals and words. The children have been given a set of laminated number cards, please cut these up to make number flashcards. For their homework I would like the children to practise recognising, reading and writing their numbers from zero-ten (both the words and numerals). Please practise reading and writing these numbers for 5-10 minutes every day. **Phonics**Please continue to practise the tricky word flashcards that they children brought home last week. As always, once your child is confident ready these words, please do encourage them to learn how to spell/write them. If they would like a further challenge please ask your child to try and use these words in a sentence, which can then be scribed by an adult. Your child can then underline the tricky word(s) in the sentence. **Reading**Your child will continue to bring home their Little Wandle Phonics book and their sharing book. When reading together please encourage your child to spot familiar graphemes and the new alternative spelling digraphs. It is also important to continue to develop their comprehension skills by answering questions about the text. Please do comment in their reading record every time you listen to your child read, or share a story together.*Please remember to return all books on Monday so they can be used during group teaching reading sessions. Many thanks for your support with this.*As always, if you have any questions regarding the homework, please do not hesitate to contact me via the school office. Many thanks,Mrs Allan 😊

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| **Next week in class we will be learning** |
| **Reading/Phonics –** recap phase 2, introduce phase 3 digraphs and trigraphsRecap tricky words, introduce new tricky words**Writing –**diary writing – applying phonic knowledge  |
| **Maths – Number –** reading, writing and interpreting mathematical statements (addition within 10)  |
| **R.E. – Bible Stories – Salvation** (The Easter Story)– Holy Week  |
| **Expressive art and design /RE –** Palm Sunday Jesus journey work continued**Understanding the world-** rainforests scenes (deforestation) continued |
| **Physical Development – Gymnastics and Invasion Games** |
| **Book focus of the week: Bible –** Ten Delicious Teachers! |

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