Mathematics:
Number:
During this term students will be learning to:
- count to 130 forwards and backwards by ones from any starting point.
- skip count by 2s, 5s and 10s.

Statistics & Probability:
During this term students will be learning to:
- name and sequence the months of the year.
- name and sequence days of the week.
- compare duration of time.

Inquiry Learning:
During this term students will be learning to:
- identify sources of light and sound and describe how they are sensed.
- identify and describe sources of light in our school.
- investigate and describe how vibrations produce sound.

Home Tasks in Year One
- Daily reading which needs to be recorded in their take home reading book (yellow book).

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A Focus on the Basics

At Pakenham Springs Primary School we have a clear focus on the development of students’ literacy (reading and writing) and numeracy skills.

We see these as the foundations for continued learning and as such need students to become proficient with these skills as they progress through their education. At Pakenham Springs we feel the curriculum needs to build the basics, but also extend students’ knowledge and understandings in the key areas of English and Mathematics.

In this leaflet we outline the important skills and knowledge that your child will be learning this term.

Working together:

We hope that you can assist your child at home by practicing the skills that they will be learning at school. By working together over the coming term, we aim to ensure your child has mastered these important skills, which will be built on in coming terms and coming years.

Reading:

During this term students will be learning to:

- use reading strategies to work out tricky words.
- stretch out the sounds in words.
- chunk the letter sounds together.
- use picture clues.

Writing:

During this term students will be learning to:

- recall a sequence of events from our school holidays.
- write full sentences.
- recall events.
- write steps to complete a task in order.
- use the correct structure.
- write simple sentences.