



Year 1 Westacre Warm-ups



These are the areas of learning your child will be covering next week. You might be able to support your child with these through practical activities, by talking to them about what they are learning and helping to develop their understanding.

Weeks beginning 20th May 2024

Maths

Next week the children will be completing the unit of work on Fractions. The small steps of learning will be:

- Finding a quarter of a shape or object
- Recognising a quarter of a quantity
- Finding a quarter of a quantity

You can click on the link below to see White Rose Maths videos showing how we teach these small steps.

[Maths home learning | Home learning | White Rose Education](#)

REMINDER – Don't forget the White Rose 1 minute Maths app. Children should be able to have a go at all sections of this now.

Education City support activities:

- Chop it up – Find a quarter of an object
- Shape it up – Find a quarter of a shape
- Share it out – Find a quarter of a quantity

English

In English, we will be completing a unit of work on poetry. We will learn what "Free Verse" is. We will listen to a variety of free verse; talk about which ones we like and explain why we like them. We will then plan and write our own poems. Finally, will we perform our poems to the class.

Education City support activities:

- Reptile rhyme – Use new vocabulary during discussion about a poem.
- Dancing in the Drizzle – Identify poems and stories
- Polar Poem – Recite poetry

BBC Bitesize videos

[How to write a poem - BBC Bitesize](#)

[What are free verse poems? - BBC Bitesize](#)