## Year 1 Homework Week ending 14th March

Dear Parents and Carers,

This week in English, the children have continued their focus on our text for this half term, 'Where the Wild Things are', by Maurice Sendak. The children have continued writing their innovated version of 'Where the Wild Things are' narrative. The children have orally composed their sentences remembering to use new vocabulary that has been introduced to them before writing their ideas down.

In Maths this week, the children have begun learning about place value within 50. They have spent time practising counting forwards and backwards from any given number within 50. We have investigated grouping objects into ten to make them easier to count.

In Science, the children have discussed the differences between wild plants and garden plants. The children have discussed how a wild seed grows where it falls and does not need to be planted of cared for. Whereas garden plants are plants that are chosen by people to grow in their gardens or parks.

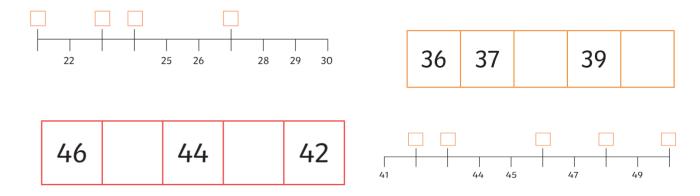
This week, the children made cup-cakes and sold them on Thursday and Friday to raise funds for their up-and-coming trip. Thank you for your support buying the cakes!

Thank you for your support,

Mrs Astbury

## **ACTIVITIES**

- 1. **Reading** Read your Big Cat Little Wandle reading book and Reading for Pleasure book.
- 2. English Draw your own Wild Thing and think of words (adjectives) to describe it.
- **3. Maths** Look at the number lines below. Fill in the missing numbers. Also, practise counting forwards and <u>backwards</u> from numbers within 50.



**Design and Technology** — if anyone wants to make their own fairy cakes at home here is the recipe we followed in school.

Makes 12 fairy cakes

150g melted unsalted butter 175g self-raising flour 150g caster sugar 3 eggs 1 tsp Vanilla essence

After melting the butter mix all other ingredients together until creamy. Spoon into 12 cupcake cases.

Bake for about 12-14 minutes at 180F