## 7th & 14th September

This week your child's learning has focussed around the following areas. If you wish to continue their learning journey at home then please feel free to use the ideas and share with us by emailing class1@brownclee.shropshire.sch.uk.

Many thanks N.Fox

## FNGLISH:

In phonics, we have been learning the sounds; s, a, t, p, i,m and n. We have been working on improving our gross and fine motor skills and practising letter formation using lead outs. (See school handwriting policy on website for further information.) Activities have been to support the recognition of the sounds we have been learning.

Ideas to support learning at home:

- Practise letter formation by writing in sand, using chalk, paint, brushes with water on, etc.
- Look for the sounds in books, on posters or signs

## MATHS:

We have been doing lots of counting (by rote and counting objects.) We have also started to look at the cardinal value of numbers, this means the quantity of things it represents or the 'how many ness.' We have started with numbers 1 and 2 and 3.

Ideas to support your child at home:

- Practise counting initially to five then ten and then extending to larger numbers.
- Count objects around the home ensuring that they have counted each item only once. It can help to make them touch each item as they count it.

Topic: PSED/ Science

The past 2 weeks have had a strong PSED theme. The children have been learning about the importance of listening and following instructions, being kind, sharing, taking turns, being honest and looking after property. We have played lots of listening games such as Simon says. We have also played lots of games to encourage sharing and taking turns.

In science we have been learning about the different parts of the body. We have been labelling and moving parts of our body. We have also learned about how to look after our bodies through exercise, eating healthy foods and the importance of sleep.