



## THORNHILL PRIMARY SCHOOL Leopards Learning Diary

**Week beginning: 8.10.18**

### Literacy

This week the children will be learning looking at traditional tales and focusing on Little Red Riding Hood. Children will sequence and retell the story to familiarise themselves with it and then move on to planning their own version, changing key events, settings and events to a modern version. The children will also learn about how to identify past and present tense in sentences and try to write their own.

The children will be getting their new spellings on Monday to learn at home and will be tested on Friday.

### Maths

This week children will move onto column subtraction with carrying over the ones to the tens units. They will practice different ways of subtracting using hundred squares, diene blocks, part whole models, to gain confidence before moving onto column subtraction.

Method 1 Subtract 5 from 10.

Method 2 Use to subtract.

Step 1 Regroup 1 ten into 10 ones. Subtract the ones. 13 ones - 5 ones = 8 ones.

Step 2 Subtract the tens.

Hannah is wrong. Why?

$10 - 0 = 10$

Here is a useful website- <https://www.timestables.co.uk/>

### Topic

In Science this week children will learn how to recognise and name things that are living, once lived and have never lived in some habitats. They will explain that the main parts of a habitat are living things, things that once lived and things that have never lived through exploration and will describe some similarities and differences between the different habitats.

### P.E

In P.E this week children will continue their work on using apparatus to help them learn more about how they use their bodies to travel in different ways and how they can use different body parts to balance.

### Information

**Children will be tested on their spellings and times tables every Friday. Please make sure you are supporting your children with learning these at home. 😊**

### Homework

Homework will be linked with literacy, reading comprehension and Maths and some weeks children will receive some topic based homework. Homework will be handed out on a **Friday** and **must** be returned to school by the following **Tuesday** in order to be marked. **Children who do not complete their homework on time will complete it in a lunchtime detention on Wednesday.**

**Homework must be completed in pencil.**

**Please try and read with your child at least 3 times a week and record it in their reading record to support them in moving up through the stages.**