



Great Gorillas Newsletter

w/c 13th October 2025

In **English**, our focus will be based on the picture book *Zoo* written by Anthony Browne. We will carry out various activities based on this book, using the pictures as stimulus for our work. We will be describing the character of 'Dad' as the author compares his behaviour and appearance to a bull. Thus, we will be comparing our Dads to an animal because of its characteristics. Could you please send in a head/shoulder photo of your Dad and write a description of the animal characteristics he is most like? E.g., My Dad is like a bull because he is big and strong and likes to charge around.

In **Maths** we will be learning about related addition and subtraction facts. We will also learn about our number bonds to 100.

In **P.E.** we will be continuing with our catching & throwing and gymnastics work.

In **Music** we will be continuing to work on our nativity songs.

In **Computing** we will be using an APP to morph our faces with an animal's face to create our own Class 2 Zoo.

In **RE** we will be discussing which are the most important attributes of God and why.

In **Art** we will be completing our leaf art work,

In **Computing** we will be completing our coding topic.

In **Science** we will be collecting our findings from our woodlice experiment, presenting them in a table and drawing conclusions.

Notices

The times table work will focus on the 2 x tables this week, we will start by looking at the multiplication facts.

We will be visiting Yorkshire Wildlife Park on Wednesday 15th October. We will leave just after 9am and return hopefully at the normal end of school time. **Please ensure that your child has a rucksack to carry their own packed lunch.** They must also wear uniform, appropriate footwear and a coat.

Wednesday 15th is the deadline for returning the order forms / Christmas card designs to class teachers.

My Maths homework is set from 17.10.25 - 31.10.25. The homework is based on add single digits.

If you have any queries, please don't hesitate to contact either of us.

Many thanks

Mrs S. Chadburn, Miss C. Bennison & Mrs S. Pitwell

"Guide me in your truth and
teach me, for you are God my
Saviour and my hope is in you
all day long." Psalm 25 v5



Our vision is to:

- Love our learning.
- Know that God is with us, loves us and has a plan for us.
- Make the world a better place.