

Year 1 English Week 6

The following will give you some lesson ideas. All activities will be in **green**.

Phonics and Reading:

- ****Please read every day**** This could include reading recipes, shopping lists, chores lists, comics, online stories (twinkl ebooks), books, books you have read before. You could always try reading them in a funny voice!
- **Log on to Collins books** and read some of their books! They are brand new and are really great stories!
- **Ask a grown up to read to you!** This is a great way for children to hear you model reading with fluency, expression and pace!
- Play the **Phase 5 games on Busy Things** to keep practicing all your sounds.
- **Alphablocks** is a great way to keep reinforcing the different sounds we use. The episodes can be found on the BBC iplayer and YouTube.
- **Phonics play comics**. You can find them here: <https://www.phonicsplaycomics.co.uk/> You will just need to select which sound you would like to focus on!
- Practise **reading your tricky words** (in the back of your reading diary). You could look in books at home and see how many tricky words you can find in them!
- Hide tricky words around your house. Can you find them all? Can you read them all to a grown up?

Spelling:

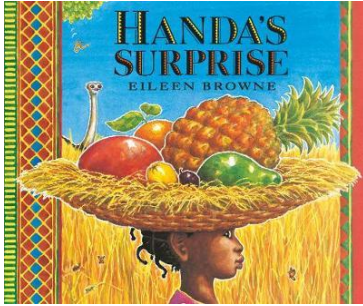
Can you spell these words? Just like the spellings you get each week, practise the words every day.

These spellings are taken from Phase 5 Block 2.

	Day 1	Day 2	Day 3	Day 4	Day 5	Day 6	Day 7
any							
many							
friend							
school							
would							
should							
could							

English:

WALT recap the story of Handa's Surprise



Last time we looked at [Handa's Surprise](#) by Eileen Browne.

Remind yourself of the story and discuss this with your grown up. Talk about what happened in the beginning, middle and end. When talking about the story make sure you add as much detail as possible.

Some good links to the story are below:

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=AJdPIMebjAw>

https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=XyIV_xYiOas

WALT create a comic strip of Handa's Surprise

This will be a big piece of work that will require the correct sequencing of the story, use of pictures/drawing, sentence writing and ensuring that there is a beginning, middle and end. There are different ways you could make your comic strip and the choice is yours. We will split the comic strip into 3 steps (you could do these on 3 different days). Below are some examples you could use or you could create your own (templates below)



Step 1: What happened at the beginning of the story? You will need to retell the beginning of the story in the style of a comic strip, by drawing the pictures and writing short sentences. To help you out you could look back at the beginning of the story, to help you remember what happens.

Step 2: What happened at the middle of the story? You will need to retell the middle and continue your comic strip. Again, look back at the story to help you, if you need it!

Step 3: What happened at the end of the story? Now to finish your comic strip you will need to complete the ending.

Remember to use when writing your sentences:

- Capital letters
- Finger spaces
- Full stops

Time to get creative!

Now it's your turn to get creative and create your very own comic strip story. This is all about using your imagination and creativity. You can choose to use one of the templates or you can make your own.

WALT verbally plan out a story

First you will need to plan out your story. Who will be the main character? What will happen in the beginning? What will happen in the middle? Is there a problem to be solved? Does your character need to save the day? What happens in the end? Is there a happy ending?



Talk about your ideas with a grown up and tell them all about your comic strip story. Try to include as much detail as possible as this will help you out later when you create your comic strip. Maybe your grown up could help you out and add in some ideas too!

WALT create my own comic strip

Once you have your ideas and you know what you are going to do, let's get started...

Step 1: What will your title be? You will need to create a title for your story.

Step 2: What happened at the beginning of your story? You will need to retell the beginning of your story. Include pictures and sentences.

Step 3: What happened at the middle of your story? You will need to retell the middle and continue your comic strip. Include pictures and sentences.

Step 4: What happened at the end of your story? Now to finish your comic strip you will need to complete the ending. Include pictures and sentences.

Step 5: Does your comic strip make sense? It's easier to retell a story that we already know but writing your own is a little trickier. Read over your comic strip and make sure it makes sense and that you haven't missed anything out.

Remember to use when writing your sentences:

- Capital letters
- Finger spaces
- Full stops.



Comic Strip

