



Monday 11th January Handwriting

Use the sheet on the next page to practise your joined up handwriting.

Top tip: Remember your flicks on the letters



If you can't print the sheet just copy the words onto paper. Ask an adult to draw some lines to help you 😊

water

bear

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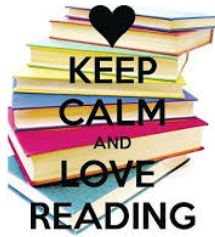
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Reading

*Read through the text and answer the questions.
Have a little bit of fun designing a fact card/
poster on question 8*



Card 1 - Sharks

Sharks can be found in every ocean, and some types of sharks can even

be found in fresh water. Most sharks are meat eaters, and can smell a drop of blood from over 400m away. Lots of people are scared of sharks, but shark attacks are rare. Out of over 500 types of shark, only about 15 types have ever attacked a person.

The most well-known type of shark is the great white shark which can grow to 5m long and move at speeds of up to 15mph. The great white shark gives birth to live babies (pups), although most sharks lay their eggs in a safe place to hatch.



Questions

- R** 1. From how far can sharks smell blood?
- R** 2. What are baby sharks called?
- U** 3. What does 'shark attacks are rare' mean?
- A** 4. In the text, which words tell you that some sharks don't eat meat?
- A** 5. Why do you think that lots of people are scared of sharks?
- E** 6. Do you think that it is safe to swim with sharks? Why?
- C** 7. Using this text to help, design your own shark fact card.



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Spelling



Focus Word
gym
hymn
myth
pyramid
lyric
symbol
system
type
rhyme
style

These are your spellings for this week.

Each day, I will give you a new activity to help you to practise 😊

Spelling pattern:

The letter 'y' is special and makes several different sounds.

In the middle of words 'y' can make a long or short 'i' sound (gym/style).

Spelling spider web:

Choose a word from your spelling list and then choose a segment of the web, then write your words in the same colour, becoming smaller and smaller as you get closer to the centre.

If you haven't got a printer, draw your own spider web ☺

