**Spring 1 Home Learning**

**Writing**- Use the word bank below to write some short sentences or captions about Lost and Found. Remember capital letters and full stops.

the boy penguin was is sad lost he helped

**Experiment**- Have some water ready to freeze. Ask your child what we need to do to change the water from a liquid to ice and why. Once the water is frozen and is ice, ask your child what they think the quickest way will be to melt the ice back into liquid and why. Carry out the experiment and ask your child if they were correct. Ask them to describe what happened to the ice.

**Phonics and Home Reading**- Please practise new phonics sounds we send you daily as well as listening to your child read every night. Evenings where your child doesn’t have their book, please use phonics bug online books.

Please try and have a go at all the activities and share your child’s home learning with us on Class Dojo. Thanks for all your support.

Our book this term is **Lost and Found**. Please either read the book with your child at home or listen to it on youtube. Ask your child questions regarding the book such as. Where do you think the penguin had come from? Why is the penguin feeling sad? Why do you think the birds ignored the boy? Why was the boy disappointed? What did they like about the book?

**Maths**- Counting forwards and backwards to 20 from any given number

Recognising and forming numbers 0-9 and then forming 2 digit numbers e.g. 12

Find shapes in your house-how many sides do the shapes have? Can you find any shapes with kore than 4 sides?

Look at different coins- 1p, 2p, 5p, 10p –what coins could we use to make 7p?

Gathering different objects in your house- How many ways can you make 5? E.g. 3 objects and 2 objects. Challenge- how many ways can you make 6/7/8//9/10. If you feel your child is ready they could record their findings using the + sign and =

This term our topic is **Winter/Antarctica**. Support your child in using a technological device to research some facts about Antarctica. Use google maps and atlas or a globe to locate Antarctica on a map.