

EYFS News

Friday 13th November 2020



What have we been up to this week?

What a busy week we have had this week! We have continued to learn about the festival 'Diwali' and exploring the story of Rama and Sita further.

As it was Remembrance Day on Wednesday, we have talked a little bit this week about what it means to wear a poppy. We watched a lovely animation on Cbeebies called 'Poppies' which helped us to understand a little bit better. We then completed the two-minute silence on Wednesday morning at 11.00am. We also made our own poppies for our whole school display.



On Friday, it was 'Children in Need' day! We talked about what it is and why money is raised. We then did some really fun Pudsey themed activities!



Next week we are taking part in '**World Nursery Rhyme Week**'! This is where we will focus on a different Nursery Rhyme each day and explore it in a variety of different ways. We would love to know what your favourite Nursery Rhyme is! You could share this on Tapestry – you could even record it on video and upload it or draw a picture and take a photograph of it!

PHONICS

NURSERY

We have been continuing to work on our listening and turn-taking skills in our BLAST sessions!

RECEPTION

This week we have learnt '**g**' and '**o**'. You will find that these have been added to your child's book bag for you to practise at home. Please also continue to play some of the phonics games previously suggested.

Please also practise writing the letters. You could do this in glitter, using paint, creating them with playdough – be as creative as you like! Don't forget to use these formation rhymes to help:

g

"Round the girl's face, down her hair and give her a curl"

o

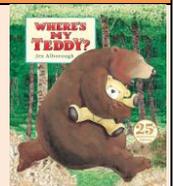
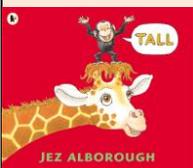
"All around the orange"

Don't forget to share what you get up to on Tapestry! 😊

MATHS

NURSERY

This week, we have been focusing on 'size'. We have been focusing on the language 'big' and 'small'. We read some stories and talked about the size differences in the characters. We also made towers using duplo blocks and compared them, talking about whose was the biggest and smallest and why.



Could you search around the house for things at home that are bigger and smaller than you? You could share what you find on Tapestry!

RECEPTION

We have continued to explore 'one less' in lots of practical ways. We sang 'Ten Green Bottles' and worked out how many were left each time using cubes. We also played a dice game where we had to roll the dice, identify the number it landed on and then say which numbers were one more and less. We also did some problem solving!



Please return book bags with reading records signed by **Wednesday** for books to be changed and given out on **Friday**. Any books returned after Wednesday will not be changed that week. This time frame allows us to ensure that books are fully cleaned.

Thank you for your continued support 😊



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