

FS Newsletter



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FS1

Next week we will start to look at some Nursery Rhymes. The children will be encouraged to learn these and any actions to go with them. We will be introducing our 'Nursery Rhyme Challenge' as the week goes on and parents will receive some information about this. We will also continue to use some recycled materials for planting.

Maths

Our Maths focus next week is positional language. The children will use and develop their understanding of words such as on top of, next to, behind, in front of etc. You could encourage your children to use their toys at home to show you how they have been using positional language. These observations can also be added on Tapestry.

Phonics

In Phonics we will continue to work on our Phase 1, aspect 1 phonic skills 'environmental sounds'. We will go on listening walks, have listening moments. We will play a listening lotto game and will play listening games on the computer. We will also recite Nursery Rhymes and act them out.

FS2

Topic

We are continuing with our topic about Castles but in our topic sessions we will be looking at signs of Autumn this week. We will also have some autumn leaves and seeds etc in our investigation area.

Maths

In maths we are continuing to focus on the number 5. The children will be singing songs with five in. We will practise counting out five things and seeing how we can sort five things.

Phonics and writing

In Phonics we will be learning some new letter sounds. We will be learning c, k, e and we will be introducing our first digraph 'ck'. A digraph is two letters that make one sound. The children will be practising writing cvc words with the letter sounds they have learnt so far.

Thank you everyone who has started to use the Reading Records. Please ensure that they stay in the children's bags so that we can access them at school. We will sign them weekly and we can see from them if the children have read their book and therefore if their books need changing (once they are on reading books).

This week the children have chosen their first library book. We will be changing library books on Friday so please make sure it is back in your child's bag on Friday.

Please ensure your child is bringing a bag to school each day as it does protect letters, books and activities that we send home.

Thank you for your support.

FS Team