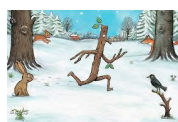


Home Learning



2nd December 2016

Phonics, Literacy & Numeracy	Reminders and Next Week's Learning
<p>In Phonics we have introduced the following phonemes (letter sounds). So far we have learnt /s/ /a/ /t/ /p/ /i/ /n/ /m/ /d/ /g/ /o/ /c/ /k/ /ck/ /e/ /u/ /r/ /h/ /b/ /f/ /l/ /ll/ /ff/ /ss/ /j/ /v/ /w/ /x/ /y/ /z/ /zz/ and /qu/. This week we have been practising our segmenting and blending by playing Buried Treasure on the website Phonics Play. See if you can play the game over the weekend.</p> <p>We have also been looking at high frequency and tricky words including /is/, /it/, /in/, /me/, /we/, /be/, /he/, /she/, /to/, /no/, /the/ and /I/. See if your child can read and write these words.</p> <p>In literacy we have based our learning on the Julia Donaldson book 'Stickman.' The children have been writing labels for the Stickman's family tree - see if you can make your family tree at home.</p> <p>During mathematics we have introduced the concept of sharing. Model sharing at home with toys and food over the weekend.</p> <p>Open Phonics sessions and Parent Helper sessions will continue after Christmas - thanks for your support.</p> <p>Due to the busy nature of Christmas some adult led activities including next steps may be disrupted.</p>	<p>Next week we will base our learning around Christmas. We will spend lots of time rehearsing for our Christmas Show and making lots of Christmas related items.</p> <p>We will put a Christmas Post Box and Christmas card lists in the Reception foyer next week so feel free to post your Christmas cards and they will be delivered to the children.</p> <p>Our P.E session will go ahead as normal on Tuesday next week, please ensure your child has their kit in school and wears clothing that is easy to change out and into.</p> <p>The Early Years Nativity will take place on Wednesday 14th December in the morning and afternoon. You should know your child's costume requirements and any lines they will be saying. Please practise these at home if applicable. If there are any queries please see a member of staff.</p> <p>We will have a Reception Christmas Party on Thursday 15th December in the afternoon - a food list sign-up sheet will be displayed soon.</p> <p>The children will attend a Carol Service at the church on Tuesday 13th December - permission slips must be completed and returned if you want your child to attend.</p> <p>Parents will be invited into school to help decorate the Reception area from 1:30pm to 3:00pm on Friday 9th December - please fill in the related letter so we have an idea of numbers.</p> <p>The school Christmas Dinner will be on Thursday 8th December.</p>



Well done to all the children and adults for making excellent Stick People during our learning cafe!

