

Key Stage 1



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Learning

Hedgehogs



This week in English, the children have been learning about Traditional Tales and have focused on the story 'The Little Red Hen'. They made finger puppets and retold the story, created and described new characters, created a new story journey featuring their new characters and then finished the week writing their new version of the story.

In maths the children have been learning about weight and capacity. They learned to weigh by direct comparison, measuring weight using non-standard units (cubes), and measuring the weight of objects using a standard unit scale (grams). They also measured the capacity of different containers.

Squirrels

This week in English, the children have been learning about traditional tales. They focused on the story 'Little Red Riding Hood'. The children performed the traditional tale as a puppet show. The children changed the characters of the story to make their own traditional tale.



In maths, the children have been learning to tell the time to o'clock, half past, quarter past and quarter to. They matched the written time to analogue clocks. The children then started looking at digital time and matching these to analogue clocks.

Rabbits



In English the children have been exploring the features of Traditional Tales and spent some time sequencing the events from the story 'Little Red Riding Hood'. They imagined what it was like for her as she walked through the woods to granny's and wrote a description of the setting.

This week in maths the children have been solving practical problems involving mass and capacity. They enjoyed working in groups to make Little Red Riding Hood's picnic basket lighter and then created a sleeping potion to trick the wolf!

TOPIC learning

The new topic for this half term is 'Animals' and the children have been learning about how animals are grouped. They have learned about why animals are grouped as reptiles, mammals, fish and amphibians. They sorted animals into the different groups, and also made up their own criteria to sort animals.