What have we been learning in Early Years this week?



27th - 31st January 2020

We would like to encourage the children to start entering the classroom independently from next week to build their independence.



This week we celebrated Chinese New Year. We looked at the Zodiac Story and engaged in various creative activities, such as making paper chains, lanterns, dragon masks and more! The children were particularly interested in the dragons!

Read Write Inc.

The children are progressing well in their new phonics groups. Miss Hazelton's group are now on Red and will soon be bringing home 'Red Books'.

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Miss Hazelton's group – ch sh th ng nk

Mrs Holme's group - ay ee igh oo ow ar or air ir

Mathematics

In Maths this week we have revisited number bonds to 10. The children have recalled some bonds and explored many others. Some children enjoyed the added challenge of finding ways to make 10 using 3 numbers! We have some fantastic Mathematicians and the children should be very proud!



Some children took on a reading challenge this week where they had to read the captions and match them to the correct pictures. The children did a brilliant job and didn't give up even when they found some words tricky! Miss Smith, our RWI lead, has been super impressed with our Reception children!

Next week								
RWI	Mathematics	Provision						
Next week children will be learning more special friends and consolidating set 1 single letter sounds.	Next week in Maths we will be exploring measurements. We will use cubes to measure aspects of	Next week we will be introducing the story of Goldilocks and the Three Bears to the children. We will be						
Please practise – sh, ch, th, ng, nk, qu	the Goldilocks and The Three Bears story, such as the bears, the chairs and beds.	tasting some porridge as our snack early next week, please let us know if this is an issue.						
Mrs Holmes' group will be consolidating set 2 sounds - ay, ee, igh, oo, oo, ow, ar		Any model making materials are always greatly appreciated.						

If anyone has any spare pants or uniform they are able to donate to Reception this would be greatly appreciated.