

# Early Years Foundation Stage Weekly Update



Friday 17th November 2023

Dear Parents/Carers

Below is a weekly update from all three EYFS classes. We hope you enjoy reading and seeing what has been happening this week in your child's class.

Have a lovely weekend.

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## Messages

- Nativity parts and costume letters will be sent home early next week.



# Class Sunshine

A huge thank you for taking the time to attend both our Learning Together sessions and Parents' evening this week. We truly value your support.

This week our work has been linked to nursery rhymes as we have been celebrating World Nursery Rhyme Week. Each day we have learnt a new nursery rhyme, many of which have a modern twist on the original versions.



On Monday our learning was linked to Jack and Jill went up the hill. In maths we talked about capacity and demonstrated we understood the terms full, empty and half full. We also discussed what we use water for on a daily basis and watched some video clips of children in other countries who do not have access to clean running water.



On Tuesday we learnt a modern version of the rhyme Hickory Dickory Dock. We created our own version of the rhyme which included a frog hopping up the clock, a cat crawling up the clock and an owl flying up the clock. In maths we used direct comparison to compare the lengths of mice tails to find the longest and shortest. The children had great fun making their own mice too.

Of course we have also done lots of work about rhyming and we had great fun thinking of silly rhyming sentences.



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# Class Star & Class Moon



Thank you to all of our parents who were able to attend our Learning Together sessions and



Parents' Evening this week. The children loved showing you all around their classroom and outdoor area and hopefully it was useful for you to see a little bit about what we get up to in school. It was also lovely to see so many of you at Parents' Evening. Thank you for your support.



As I am sure you now know, this week is World Nursery Rhyme Week and we have based our Learning around different nursery rhymes, exploring a different song everyday!

We have sang about Jack and Jill and filled their buckets with different amounts and compared which had the most and which had the least. We have



sang The Wheels on the Bus and built a town for the bus to drive through in our outdoor construction area and we constructed bridges for the bus to drive over and under in the workshop. On Wednesday we sang a new version of Row, Row, Row your Boat and tested sinking and floating in the outdoor water tray. We have finished off our week singing Hickory Dickory Dock and Heads Shoulders Knees and Toes.

We have loved seeing photos and hearing about all of the fun you have been having when playing your weekly phonics games at home. Well done everybody!

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