

Coming up next week...24/03/2025

The children have been enjoying the bursts of spring weather and exploring the buds and flowers beginning to grow on the field during Field Friday. Thank you for remembering to provide your child with wellies and please do remember to send your child to school with a filled water bottle. Have a good week!

Learning in school:

Theme for the Term: Tell Us a Story!

We are going to looking at stories and what is in them. Our focus will be on traditional tales and in particular, Jack and the Beanstalk. We will be exploring characters, story mapping and then becoming authors, to write our own story with a beginning, middle and end. At the end of the half term, we will become Storytime Stars, reading our stories to the class. In addition to this, we will be looking at planting seeds and growing. The children will be growing their own beanstalks!

Theme for the Week:

This week we will be continuing the book 'One Day the End' and writing our own sentence to go with our picture that tells a story. We will be continuing our theme of stories in RE when we will be listening to and exploring important stories from three different faiths.

In PHSE we will be learning about money and what we use it for and how to use it well.

Phonics:

This week in Phonics, we will be reviewing the Phase 3 sounds: 'ur', 'oi', 'er', 'ow', 'oo', 'air', 'or'. We will be reading longer words, which have two or more digraphs, and we will use our chunking method to help us to read these words. We will also be reading plural words ending in 'es' such as fishes, wishes etc.

Maths:

In maths this week, we will be finding 1 more and 1 less from numbers up to 10. We will be exploring the composition of numbers up to 10, thinking about number bonds to 10 and the parts that make up the whole.

Additional notes and reminders

Homework

Maths homework can be found in the blue homework folders in your child's bookbag. Please pick a game to play and write notes on how your child is getting on.

Homework folders will be collected in the same day that sounds folders are collected in.

Please continue reading with your child as often as you can and practising the sounds in their sound folder.

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Please note that as the week progresses it is sometimes necessary to change what is planned to meet the learning needs of the children and therefore changes to the above may occur.