

Nursery Newsletter 12.03.21

Welcome Back

We are so happy to welcome all children back to nursery, it has been great to see everyone again. Well done to all the children for adapting to the new arrangements, we are very proud of you all.

Our Learning

This week, we have been learning about space. The book we have been reading is 'Aliens Love Underpants'. We have carried out many fun activities, including designing our own aliens and some underpants for them to wear as well as making large scale spaceships in the outdoor area. We have also read the 'Smeds and the Smoos' and talked about what qualities we look for in a friend.



Please label your child's belongings.

HOME LEARNING

Sound of the week



We have reintroduced our sound of the week and next week it will be the sound 'r', please could you work with your child to find something in your house that starts with the sound 'r' and email a picture to your class teacher. This will be used both in class and in our live lessons and really helps the children to learn their sounds in a fun and engaging way.

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Here is a link to the Jolly Phonics song for the 'r' sound:

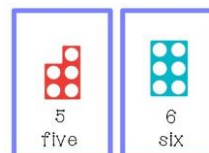
https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=yS8_juWxF-w

HOME LEARNING

Maths

This week in maths, our learning intention is to: **Know that numbers identify how many objects are in a set.**

We have been engaging in fun counting activities, including counting astronauts and singing number songs including '5 little men in a flying saucer.'



Maths home challenge: Go for a walk and look for a group of objects. Can you count how many are in each group? You might see a group of flowers or a group of cars. You might spot a group of windows or lamp-posts; can you count how many there are?

Reading Books

We will be sending books home every Friday. Reading plays an important part in the children's communication and language development, so we encourage all adults to read with their children. We will be sending out a different reading intention every week.

Reading home challenge:

To describe main story settings, events and principal characters.

Many thanks,

The Nursery Team

Ladybird - Ned Symes, Gina Collingridge

Butterfly - Anastasia Owusu, Jodie Speer

Jaci Doherty working throughout both classrooms

