



Reception Weekly Focus

Week Beginning: 9th October 2023

We have begun our new story Goldilocks. This week we will be tasting porridge and using some describing words. We will be working hard to learn the story actions using our story map.

In maths we will be learning to count objects more carefully by making a teddy bear's picnic, sharing out the plates, cups and bowls.

In RE we continue our work on creation, learning about how God created the world.

There are some ideas for further learning on our class page on the school website if you would like to do some work at home.

Don't forget to scan the QR codes each day to practise phonics with your child at home.

Focus words this week:

Talk about the words and what they mean. Can you use these words within a sentence throughout the week?

Focus Story:

Goldilocks

Goldilocks & The Three Bears



Maths Focus: Number



Counting accurately with one object for each number name. Practise counting stairs, toys, socks and anything else around the home making sure children count correctly.

Here are some counting songs for your child:



Rhyme of the Week:

*One little teddy bear jumping all around, one little
teddy bear sits on the ground*

*Two little teddy bears jumping all around, two little
teddy bears sit on the ground*

*Three little teddy bears jumping all around, three
little teddy bears sit on the ground*

*Four little teddy bears jumping all around, four little
teddy bears sit on the ground*

*Five little teddy bears jumping all around, five little
teddy bears sit on the ground*

Story Time

Reading books will be changed throughout the week.

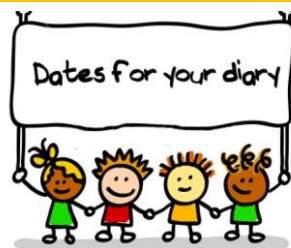
Come in and choose a book with your child!

This week the children will:

- Be making Autumn pictures using cotton buds and Autumn colours.
- Drawing a story map of Goldilocks and learning the actions.
- Counting using one number name for each objects.
- Making ABAB patterns in maths using different objects.
- Goldilocks pattern making in dry porridge, sand and other materials.
- Listen carefully, respond and join in with our new talk for writing story - Goldilocks



- Practise recognising and then writing our names (You may want to practise this at home too!)
- Continue to work hard to learn our set 1 phonic sounds and to form them correctly in their writing.
- Learning to blend sounds together to read.
- Practising how to hold our pencils correctly for writing and drawing.
- Go on an Autumn walk to identify the changes happening around us
- Purposely choosing colours for our art work.
- Threading using leaf outlines.
- Making Autumn pictures using leaves for inspiration.



Friday 27th October Break up for half term at 3.25pm

Monday 30th October – Friday 3rd November School closed for half term holiday

Monday 6th November School closed to pupils for Staff Training Day

Tuesday 7th November School re-opens to pupils