



Nursery Weekly Focus

Week Beginning: 13th March 2023

This week we will continue to watch our beans grow and learn more about vegetables linked to our new story 'Oliver's Vegetables.' We will be tasting a variety of raw vegetables in Nursery this week and encouraging the children to talk about their likes and dislikes.

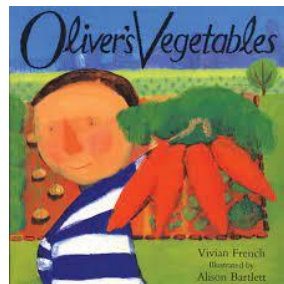
In RE, this week we will learn that prayer is talking to God. We will practise making the sign of the cross and decorate pictures of crosses to look at when we pray.

Focus words this week: weigh, author, chop, cross (Sign of the cross), pattern, heavy, light

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

Focus Story:

Oliver's
Vegetables



Maths Focus of the Week: Weight



Hold two objects. Which is the heaviest? Which is lightest?

Look for objects around the house - find some that are heavy, find some that are light.

Rhyme of the Week:

Mary had a little lamb

Mary had a little lamb, little lamb, little lamb
Mary had a little lamb
Whose fleece was white as snow
And everywhere that Mary went, Mary went,
Mary went
Everywhere that Mary went
The lamb was sure to go



Story Time

Reading books will be changed on Monday.

Please send your child's book bag into school each day with their reading books and planner. Please ensure the planner is signed to show that you have read with your child.

Thank you



This week the children will:

- Buy fruit and vegetables in our new Fruit and Vegetable Shop role play area using 1p coins. Items in the shop this week will cost 3p which the children will make using three 1p coins.
- Taste a variety of raw vegetables including carrots, spinach, peppers, celery and cucumber.
- Hold two vegetables in their hands and discuss which they think is heaviest and lightest before weighing them using balance scales.
- Look at images of Jesus praying to understand that Jesus was talking to God his Father.
- Make links between the action we make with our hand when we make the sign of the cross and link this to the shape of a cross.
- Read our new story 'Oliver's Vegetables', act the story out and answer questions about it.
- Sequence pictures and retell the story 'Oliver's Vegetables'.
- Look at a variety of vegetables, name them, talk about where they grow and taste some.
- Use vegetables to paint and print.
- Create repeating patterns of pattern, shape or objects using paint, pegboards and other objects around the classroom. Eg. Red, blue, red, blue, red, blue or carrot, potato, carrot, potato, carrot, potato.