



Reception Weekly Focus

Week Beginning: 30th January 2023

This week we continue our topic: People who help us. Children have been enjoying role playing members of the emergency services outside. We had a lovely surprise visit from the local PCSO team last week and will be incorporating what we learnt into our learning this week.

In maths we are looking at counting on and back to find one more and one less.

In RE we continue to learn about Baptism, some of the symbols used and the importance of our Christian name. We will be visiting Father Craig in church to see some of the important artifacts used during a baptism.

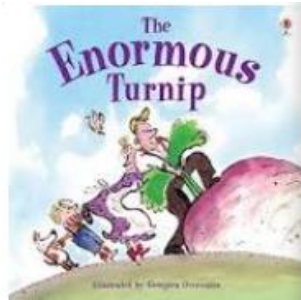
Don't forget to scan the QR codes each day to practise phonics with your child at home.

Focus words this week: Huge, Fewer, Less, Christian name,

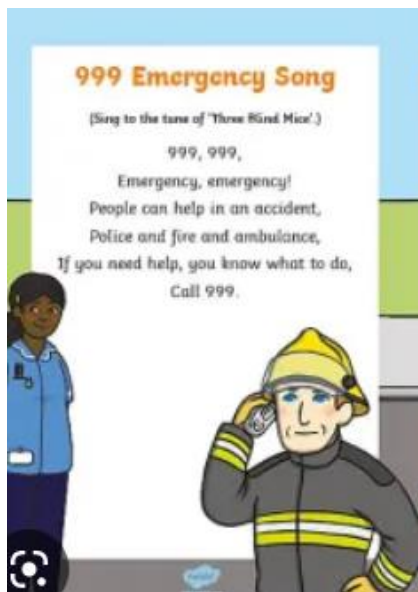
Talk about the words and what they mean. Can you use these words within a sentence throughout the week?

Focus Story:

Enormous Turnip



Rhyme of the Week



Maths - One more and One less



Children will be learning to count on and back to find one more and one less. Play games like this one below to encourage children to find one more and less...



Story Time

Reading books will be changed throughout the week.

Come in and choose a book with your child!

This week the children will:

- Reading a new story - The Enormous Turnip
- Completing a story map and using actions to retell the story
- Writing about the story using words, captions and sentences
- Daily phonics lessons - blending words and learning our sounds for reading and writing
- Practising writing our letters correctly
- Practising writing our numbers correctly
- Learning new rhymes and stories
- Playing with our small world fire station and police station and vehicles
- Role play - Emergency services
- Explore our role play area - fire station
- Playing maths games to find one more and one less
- Continuing to use the language of addition
- Continue our RE work on Baptism
- Take part in lots of fine motor activities and games to strengthen our fingers
- Visit to church to take part in a pretend baptism.



PE days Monday and Thursday every week

Tuesday 31st January - visit to church

Tuesday 7th February - Parents Evening