

Foundation Home Learning

Please remember home learning should be fun! Don't worry if you do not have time at a weekend - just if and when you can!



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11th – 15th March 2019

This week the children have truly got into the performing spirit and with enthusiasm and a lot of energy, have enjoyed our Gruffalo play rehearsals. Thank you so much for your responses to bringing in their costumes, applying for tickets and helping to support learning lines - it is much appreciated. I am sure the children have been singing you some of the songs that they have been learning too. At the point of writing this, we are still trying to work out if we can accommodate handing out additional tickets as we really do want as many friends and family members to attend as possible. Please keep an eye out for a text on Monday as to whether this will be possible. If you are struggling to find clothes for your child's costume, please do speak to a member of the Foundation team as we have our first dress rehearsal on Monday morning (wish us luck!).

This week we have also been continuing with our learning in Phonics, Literacy and Maths. Len has introduced two new trigraphs to us - these are three letters that make one sound. This week we have learnt **igh** (might, light, flight) and **air** (hair, pair, lair).

In Maths we have been focussing on addition and finding the total number of two groups. We have learnt lots of new words such as plus and add that have helped us to write number sentences using the new + sign and = to show us the answer. Please do share any examples of your child finding the total number of two groups on Tapestry.

Home Learning: We have talked a lot about the outdoors this week with 'fly high **igh**' and '**air**', using imaginary kites to fly in the wind. Could you enjoy some time in the fresh '**air**' and explore somewhere new, maybe making a kite or seeing what you can find to fly high in the wind (e.g leaves)? I think we might have the weather for it!

Dates for this term:

Coffee Morning - It is so lovely to see Parents, Carers and Family members at our Foundation Coffee morning every Tuesday 8.40-9.30. Please do pop in for a cuppa and a chat if you are free.

Thursday 21st March: Foundation Gruffalo Performance for Parents, Carers and Families 2pm

Friday 22nd March: Foundation Gruffalo Performance for Parents, Carers and Families 9.30am

Monday 1st April: Big Pedal Week (more information will be sent out close to the time)

Friday 5th April: End of term

We are in desperate need of spare pants, socks and skirts/trousers for when children have accidents - if you do have any that you could kindly donate, we would really appreciate it.