

# Foundation Home Learning



Montpelier  
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Welcome back after what I hope was a lovely week for you all! Thank you so much for sharing your home learning and adventures on Tapestry - we have enjoyed sharing these with the children.

This week in Literacy our focus book has been 'Meg's Veg' by Helen Nicoll and Jan Pienkowski and the children have loved to learn, paint, draw, count and explore using vegetables and pumpkins. We even went into the woods and looked for sounds hidden on pumpkins to practice our letter formation and to write real and nonsense words - how exciting.

In Maths, Meg has been making some very sneaky spells and has been tricking us by hiding some numbers from our number line. Her spells were definitely going wrong so we had to help her to see if we could find them, put them in the right place and count to see if they were now in the right order. Isn't Meg lucky that she has us all to help!

Following our theme this week, we have been learning about change over time and have learnt about seasons and how seeds turn into vegetables. We have talked about what they need to grow and how we can help them. Ellen was so kind to help us all make vegetable soup in the big kitchen! We used the children's knives to chop the vegetables and followed instructions to make our soup, even getting to eat it too! Delicious!



## Home Learning:

**Next week:** We are learning about Fireworks, how to use them safely and exploring different sounds and colours. Can you make a Firework picture using different materials and colours, writing words such as 'pop' and nonsense words that sound like fireworks?

## Dates for next week:

**Balanceability: Monday - Thursday** - if your child has their own helmet please can they bring it with them each day (named).

## Resources:

If you have any spare long tubes such as kitchen rolls (not toilet rolls), please can you send them in so that we can use them for rockets next week - thank you.

On the 20<sup>th</sup> November we are holding an information evening for prospective parents and families. I would be so grateful if any of you would like to come and help with teas and coffees and talk to new parents about Foundation and children starting school? Please see Miss Tickle for more information if you would like to help.