

Reception Newsletter

Please see the information below about our letter cards, which the children will begin bringing home every Friday.

This week's letters are /s/ /a/ /t/ /p/. How many words can you make using these letters? Have fun practising together!

We had a very exciting mystery to solve this Wednesday! When we arrived, we discovered a terrible mess in the snack area. Someone had clearly been searching for some tasty porridge to eat, and we even found Baby Bear, who had fallen off his chair! 🐻 We put on our detective hats and became police investigators, looking for clues to help us solve the mystery. After lots of discussion and investigation, we decided that **Goldilocks must have visited!**

This week, we also began our **Little Wandle Letters and Sounds** journey. We have been learning our first set of letter sounds and practising using the soft sounds. If you would like to hear how we pronounce each sound, please take a moment to watch the video below:

https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=-ZtjFlvA_fs

Next Week

Next week, we will continue learning our letter sounds and begin exploring our new story, **Monkey Puzzle by Julia Donaldson**. We are looking forward to lots more learning, exploring and fun!

Handwriting:

Squiggle whilst you wiggle

Talk4Writing:

Monkey Puzzle

Maths:

Positional language

WOW:

Teamwork

Literacy:

Writing initial sounds

Dates to remember:

Monday 2nd and Tuesday 3rd November: School photographs

Outdoor Learning

Our outdoor learning sessions will begin on **28th September**. We will be taking the children to our woodland area next to the playground, where they will have the opportunity to explore nature and enjoy a variety of exciting activities. These may include collecting natural objects, creating collages, building dens and much more!

To help your child get ready for these sessions, please send in a **pair of named welly boots** inside a **named carrier bag**. This will allow your child to change into their boots before heading outdoors.

The wellies can remain on your child's peg and only need to be taken home when required over the weekend.

Thank you for your support!

