



EYFS Newsletter 12th October 2017



This week in EYFS

Well we have had an amazing week in class this week with lots of busy, autumnal activities. We have been learning all about 'Percy the Park Keeper'. The children have loved doing lots of role play based activities based around the story. We have been sequencing key parts of the story and have also been doing character descriptions of Percy. The children also thought about the animals in the story and we brainstormed ideas about what we already know about the animals. The children were very knowledgeable about which animals were nocturnal and the animals that hibernate.

In our maths lessons we have been continuing with our counting songs and recognition of numbers 0-10 (and beyond if applicable). We have also been looking at counting in 2s, Mrs Gingell and I were very impressed with the child's abilities in this area.

In our afternoons we have been looking at the Creation Story from the bible. The children have been thinking about everything that God has created from the birds, trees, animals and Adam and Eve. It was so sweet to hear the children talk confidently about their own beliefs about God, whatever they may be.

Next week in Reception

We are going to be learning all about Diwali next week, to further enhance the children's understanding of different faiths and cultures.

The children are going to enjoy many activities based around this throughout Continuous Provision.

We are also going to be learning all about sequencing in maths, using conkers, leaves and acorns to create repeated patterns.



Homework

There are two weeks left of this half term so just a gentle reminder that the family trees need to be in by Friday 27th October. Also, over the weekend if you are out and about, please could you collect conkers and acorns and bring them into school for the children to use in our maths lessons. Thank you!

Notices

We are still looking for some items for our continuous provision. We are looking for:
Wickers baskets
Dolls
Cushions

If you have any of these items spare at home they would be greatly appreciated in school.