

Talk to Me!

Friday 5th December 2025

The 'Talk to Me' has been designed to inform you of what learning has been taught each week. We want to help you to further support your child's learning. This can be done by asking them questions that help deepen their understanding of concepts that they have learned throughout the week. We hope that you find this useful.

Nativity

Our Nativity performance is on Tuesday 9th December. Please come into the hall from 9am and we aim to start around 9.15. The children have worked so hard and are excited to share their performance with you. Please limit audience members to 3 per family. Many thanks.

Phonics

We have been recapping all the phonemes we have learnt so far, including the digraphs and trigraph. We have been reading them in words and sentences and have been using our whiteboards with the spelling sequence to write some ourselves. **Can you have a go at writing words which contain our digraphs using the spelling sequence?**



Say the word



stretch the word



robot arms



blending hands



count the sounds



say the word



Dojo challenge!

Collect some items from around the home which contain 3 letters (CVC word) for your child to write e.g. pen, peg, bag, pot, lid, mug, pin etc. Can you write the CVC words using the spelling sequence to help you hear all three sounds?

Flashcard Game Idea

Sort your flashcards into two piles – the ones you are confident with, and the ones you need more practise with (you can check against the latest assessment sticker in your child's reading record book). These are the ones to focus on when playing these games. With the flashcards you need to focus on, can you spot them on any writing around your house, in books, or when you are out and about? Take some photos of the sounds/words that you need to practise when you find them.

Maths

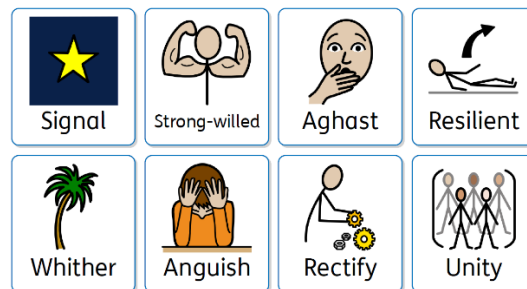
In Maths we have been counting to find out 'how many' objects there are. We have focused on the concept of 1:1 correspondence by counting each item once and have modelled moving objects when counting. We have discussed that the last number we count in the set tells us 'ow many' things there are altogether. **What can you count at home (up to 20)? Can you say the 'teen' numbers correctly? Can you write how many are in your set of objects? Can you build a tower of 12 Lego pieces?**



Drawing Club

This week we watched a clip from 'A Charlie Brown Christmas'. We have learnt eight new high level words to extend our vocabulary.

A Charlie Brown Christmas



What do these words mean? Can you show me the action you learnt for the word_____? Encourage your child to use these words at home.

Coming up next week...

In phonics we will continue to review the sounds we have already learnt, as well as the new harder to read and spell words; my, you. In maths we will be looking at shapes with 4 sides. In Drawing Club we will be reading 'Stick Man' by Julia Donaldson

Have a lovely weekend and we look forward to learning with you next week.

Mrs Turner