

Reception Class Weekly Newsletter

22.09.2023.

Hello !

Another fabulous week with lots of learning and most importantly lots of fun!

Maths

This week we have been focussing on sorting.

The children have been sorting items into different groups.

Throughout this we considered "What is the same?" What is different? Are there other ways we could sort the objects?"

We enjoyed many games of spotting the odd one out!

Phonics

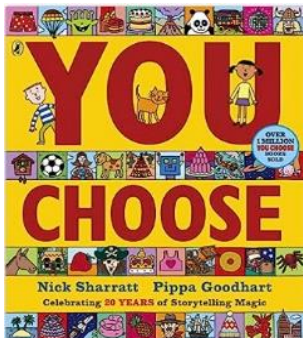
We have been thinking about initial sounds this week and listening to Miss Smith use the funny robot voice to segment words.

Whilst getting the teddy dressed for a wet walk , we named the items of clothing she was wearing.

t-o-p , s-o-ck-s, c-oa-t, h-a-t, b-oo-t-s.

We've also played I spy and what's in the bag?

Our core text this week was:

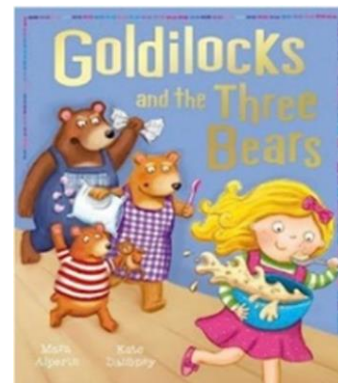


The children have engaged exceptionally well with this text, and it stimulated many exciting conversations with their friends.

We loved looking at the many illustrations and discussing with our talking partners: who we would be, where we would go, how we would get there, where we would live and who we'd choose as family and friends.

Home learning: Engage in conversation with your child and encourage them to use the word because to explain and reason their ideas and thoughts.

Our Core text next week will be:



We will be reading the traditional tale, Goldilocks and the Three Bears.

We will be focussing on **Families**.

It would be lovely for the children to share and discuss pictures of their family with their friends.

You can send family pictures to myself over message on the Class Dojo, or bring the photos in.

I would love to create a display/book for the children to look at their family pictures.

Important Notes:

- **Teddy Bears Picnic: Friday 22nd September!**
We will have a teddy bears picnic on Friday afternoon to conclude our learning of Goldilocks and the Three Bears. Please can children bring a teddy bear 😊
- Please help us to promote your child's independency at home. Encourage them to get dressed independently.
- Please label **ALL** your child's clothes!
It is extremely helpful on Monday and Friday mornings when the children are getting changed for PE.
- Class Dojo: If you have not set up your class Dojo please follow the instructions on the letter you received last week. If you need another letter please let me know 😊
- **PE -Monday** (Burnley Community Trust) and **Friday**. Please bring a PE kit.
- **Forest school** is every **Wednesday**.

Awards:

Mathematician of the week: Axel

Our value - Respect: Emmy

Have a lovely weekend!

Miss Smith, Miss Haworth and Mrs Malik