

The Reception Round-up!

Some of the lovely things we have been learning this week:

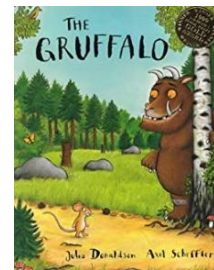
Practising our letter formation... the peg picture below is an idea we use in school, to help children improve their pencil grip. Please practice correct grip at home, if necessary.



We have also enjoyed creating our Christmas card designs this week, taking our teddies into school and activities relating to 'The Little Red Hen'.

Some of the things that children might experience next week:

We will be exploring the book, 'The Gruffalo'.



Next Friday the children will make 'Knobbly knee' cakes! Yummy!



How you can help your child at home:

- Help us spot the letters **s**, **a**, **t** and **p** at home or in the environment.
- Help us to practise holding our pencil correctly and writing our name.
- Please teach them how to put their coats, clothes, socks and tights the right way round from being inside out.

Sounds we have learned this week:



Sounds we will be learning next week:



What's going on this week/notices/information:

If your child has any allergies to anything in chocolate crispy cake recipes or you do not consent to them making them next Friday, please inform us.

We are really proud of how well the children are managing to get themselves changed for P.E. and then dressed again afterwards. If your child isn't so confident in doing so, please keep encouraging their independence at home dressing and undressing- especially tights and socks! There are four children in Cherry class still without a P.E. kit in school, so please send this in on Monday.

A reminder of our sickness policy in school. Please do not return your child until they are 48 hours clear of the last bout of sickness or diarrhoea. It is crucial for the children and staff that we have your support in this.