

The Reception Round-up!

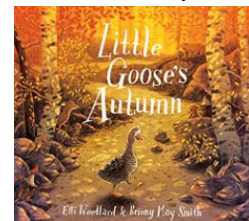
Some of the lovely things we have been learning this week:

So much to pack in this week... Diwali, Remembrance Day, starting Wonderful Wellies, cooking and play practice!



Some of the things the children might experience next week:

Next week we will be learning about 'Little Goose's Autumn'. Learning about Autumn colours and carrying out some lovely crafts!



Next week the children will be learning two new sounds: **r** and **h**. We are focusing now on blending 3 sounds together, to read. E.g. c-a-t, p-i-n, or to write **cat**, **pin**. Please practice at home!

Maths:

Next week we will be focusing on Number Bonds to 5. e.g:

0+5=5 You could play number bond tennis – you say a
1+4=5 number (e.g. 3) and your child says the other
2+3=5 number you add to make 5 (2). You could add
3+2=5 groups of objects together to make 5, your child
4+1=5 may like to practice writing the sums, they can
5+0=5 practice using their fingers to help know what
 they need to add to make 5, etc.

Costume letters:

These came home yesterday.

We hope you enjoy putting your child's costume together! It can be from things you have at home, or you could get creative! Please speak to us if you have any questions. It would be really helpful for you to name each item of their costume and clearly write their name on the bag you send it into school in.

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

Reading: If your child is yet to starting bringing reading books 'with words' home, please really work on your child reading the character names: **a, Mum, Dad, Floppy, and, Kipper, Chip, Biff, the**. Also, please remember that the expectation is for your child to read their books to you two or three times, not just once. The more they read them, the more fluent they become and confident. You could then cover the pictures to challenge them/ensure they can read the words without always relying on the pictures too. Also the discussion around the story, the characters, what went wrong in the story? How was it resolved? Can they find the word 'the', 'Biff' etc

Children in Need: A reminder that the children can wear spots to school next Friday and bring in a donation to raise money for such a worthy charity.

Mathletics and Spelling Shed log-ins: These are being processed and will be coming home next week sometime. They are both secure online Maths/Spelling programmes. Your children can practice their maths skills and earn certificates!

Have a lovely weekend!