



'Spurring each other on with love'

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Dear Parents and Carers,

Literacy

This week, we are focusing on our body. The children will be learning about their bodies; naming and labelling body parts.

Phonics

The children will be learning the sounds c, k, u, b and f. If your child has a go at writing the sounds we have been learning or goes on a sound hunt and finds objects beginning with the sounds, we would love to see it on Tapestry. Please upload a photo or video of what they have been doing. We will share this with the rest of the class.

c - <https://schools.ruthmiskin.com/training/view/FxRIhdRL/OIDIO2Ek>

k - <https://schools.ruthmiskin.com/training/view/bBkYTrw3/vhDcX4tB>

u - <https://schools.ruthmiskin.com/training/view/Gw54c08V/crQELNQh>

b - <https://schools.ruthmiskin.com/training/view/P3Qzz8i9/8r05AZEh>

f - <https://schools.ruthmiskin.com/training/view/dM4WgYaT/e4VOpJWa>

Fred talk / blending - <https://schools.ruthmiskin.com/training/view/BKoOEhEL/RfwNcmpo>

Thank you to those parents and carers who attended the phonics meeting. We hope you found the session useful. We have added the PowerPoint we shared, to the school website. There are also a few other RWI resources on our class page. Video links have also been put on Class Dojo

Numeracy

This week, we are focusing on measure. We will be comparing size, weight and capacity. At home you could encourage your child to compare the weight of two objects, saying which is the heaviest or lightest. They could also put their teddies in order of size or make towers of different heights. Please share this on Tapestry.

<https://www.topmarks.co.uk/early-years/lets-compare>



Other areas

- Talking about our feelings and how we know how other people are feeling.
- Listening to songs and talking about how they make us feel and what they make us think of
- Moving to music.
- Completing an assault course and discussing how exercise makes our bodies feel eg: our heart rate, feeling sweaty etc.

Reminders:

- Please make sure all uniform, coats and book bags are named, including shoes.
- The children can bring in their own fruit or vegetable snack if they want. They can have this in addition to the snack provided in school. Please do not include anything that isn't fruit or veg eg: cheese, dips or yoghurt coated fruit bits.
- Drink bottles should contain water and not juice or fizzy drinks.
- Earrings should be small gold or silver studs. This need taking out on Fridays for PE.
- Thank you for all the harvest donations.

If you have any queries, please do not hesitate to come and see us!

Best Wishes from the Foundation Stage Team

Red Bears - Mrs O'Toole, Mrs Bond and Ms Whatley
Blue Bears - Mrs Vanstone and Mrs Greenslade

