

Week Beginning: 10th November 2025

Next week, we will be learning about...

Topic:

We will be exploring a superhero theme and using books such as *Supertato* to inspire some of our activities. We will find out about the importance of Remembrance Day and on Tuesday we will visit the war memorial in the village with our buddies. We will begin to look at the painting 'The Starry Night' by Vincent van Gogh and explore some of the skills he used in his artwork. The life skill we will focus on will be 'I can tidy up after myself'.

Phonics:

We will learn to recognise the sounds v (volcano), w (wave), x (box), y (yoyo). Using familiar sounds, we will learn to orally segment and blend CVC and CVCC words. The tricky words we will be learning are: and, has, his, her.

Maths:

Our activities will focus on further developing the skills of comparison. The children will be encouraged to compare the number of objects in 2 sets by matching them 1:1. Seeing that objects in some sets can be matched without any being left over will draw the children's attention to instances when the quantities of objects are equal.

How you could help your child at home:

- Read with your child at least 3x a week. We will begin to send books home containing words that use the sounds your child has learnt, as and when they are ready for these. Practice identifying the sounds and blending them together.
- Daily practise of the phonemes we have learnt so far.
- Investigate with the children how many items they can hold in 1 hand – the items could be varied each day, e.g. large cubes, small cubes, pegs, buttons, etc. Some children may want to record their results. Yesterday you could hold 3. What do you think will happen today? Can you hold an equal number in each hand?
- Share some pieces of art by different artists with your child. Discuss what they like/dislike about the artwork. How do they think it was made? Can they have a go at recreating it?

Reminders:

- Please return reading books on a Friday and library books on a Wednesday.
- **Tuesday 11th November** – Act of Remembrance at the War Memorial in Fulbourn – parent helpers needed
- **Friday 21st November 8:30-9:00am** - EYFS Maths Morning Stay and Play - come along to the EYFS classrooms and enjoy a range of maths activities with your child.
- **Show and Tell:** From next week, we will have a weekly Show and Tell session every Friday afternoon. Each week, one group from each class will have the opportunity to share something. This might be an item from home, favourite toy, photograph or just a familiar story. Each child in the group will have some time to talk to the class, sharing why this item is important to them, before answering questions from their friends.

Show and Tell Groups on Friday 14th November – Moles and Magpies

If your child cannot remember which group they are in then please just speak to the EYFS team.

Lapland Groups: Moles, Squirrels, Hedgehogs, Badgers, Foxes

Greenland Groups: Magpies, Eagles, Mockingbirds, Bluebirds, Hawks

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