

Week Beginning: 30th October 2023

Our Topic is.....

We're going on an adventure!

Next week, we will be learning about.....

Topic:

We will be reading *The Little Red Hen* and launching our topic with a delivery of freshly baked bread from the Little Red Hen. We will get the chance to taste the bread and discuss the process of bread making ready for our trip to Fulbourn Windmill.

Phonics:

During our first week back after half term, we will learn 4 new phonemes. ff (puff), ll (bell), ss (mess) and j (Jellyfish). ff, ll and ss are digraphs – this means that two letters make one sound.

Maths:

The children will continue to engage with activities that underline the purpose of counting – to find out 'how many' objects there are altogether. They will reinforce their understanding of cardinality – that the last number in the count tells us 'how many' things there are altogether in a set of objects – and they will further practise their 1:1 correspondence skill, by counting numbers at the same time as moving or tagging objects.

How you could help your child at home:

- Read with your child daily – Your child will take home a book that includes words using the sounds we have learnt so far. Practice identifying the sounds and blending them together.
- Practise getting dressed and undressed independently – Put on and take off your jumper, do up the buttons on your cardigan.
- Try and spot the numerals 1, 2 and 3 in your house or out and about over the week. How many times can you find them?
- Play Simon Says using sounds, i.e 'put your hand on your h-ea-d'

Reminders:

- **Look how we have grown!** On Tuesday 31st October we will be discussing the ways we have changed over time. Please bring in or send us a photo of your child as a baby/toddler so they can identify changes.
- **Windmill:** On Thursday 2nd November we will be walking to Fulbourn Windmill. Please make sure that the children are wearing comfortable shoes.

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