

Week Beginning: 27th November 2023

Our Topic is.....

We're going on an adventure!

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

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We will be continuing learning about the Traditional Tale, *The Three Little Pigs*. Learning and retelling the story using actions and story maps, building up to performing the story together. We will continue to practise the songs from our Christmas production.

Phonics: We will be reviewing all the phonemes we have learnt so far this year. We will focus on letter formation and practise starting and finishing each letter in the correct place.

Maths: The children will continue to engage with activities that draw attention to the purpose of counting – to find out 'how many' objects there are. Adults will need to continue to name the objects being counted to emphasise the numerosity of the set, e.g. *Would you please collect 6 crayons and bring them to me?* The children will revisit the concept of 1:1 correspondence by making sure that they match collections of objects to their representations. They will develop their understanding of the concept of cardinality – that the last number in the count tells us 'how many' things there are altogether – and begin to apply this concept to count more abstract things, such as claps and jumps.

How you could help your child at home:

- Enjoy listening to your child reading their phonics book with you at home and read for pleasure with them as much as possible.
- Continue to read and practise phonics sounds with your child.
- Encourage your child to get dresses and undresses independently.
- Practise turning clothes from inside-out to the right way round.
- Make biscuits or cupcakes, and ask the children to decorate them with target numbers of raisins or similar toppings.

Reminders:

- **Panto Trip:** Our trip to Bury St Edmunds Theatre is next week. If you would like a copy of the social story, then please speak to a member of staff.
- **Reading Books:** Please enjoy the reading book over the weekend and make sure to return it in their book bag on Friday. Please make sure their reading record is in school every day.
- **No Mobile Phones:** Please remember that the use of mobile phones is **not permitted** on the school site. This includes before and after school during drop off and pick up times.

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