This Week in Reception

Welcome back after the half term break.

Our New Theme

We have started our new 'Let Celebrate' theme this week, beginning with learning about Guy Fawkes and the 5th of November, including sharing the children's own experiences of bonfires and firework displays.



Number Maths

We have returned to developing our subitising skills in number maths, introducing number 4 and how this can be represented to aid quick subitising.



Our Focus Story



Our focus story is 'Remember, Remember the Fifth of November' and the children have used their imagination and prior experiences to create the character 'Little Fllcker' and the setting of the night sky. Their application of learnt phonemes is increasing each week.

Shape, Space and Measure

We explored what height means in our shape, space and measure maths session; applying the vocabulary shorter and taller when creating a beanstalk after listening to the story of Jack and the Beanstalk.



Art

The focus of our art lesson was using scissors correctly, including keeping thumbs on top and elbows tucked in. The children explored snipping a variety of paper, card and fabric.



Forest School and PE

The Butterflies had a great first forest school session, creating their own forest school name, listening to the story Room on the Broom, before finding their own stick to create a witches broomstick. The Ladybirds had a great first PE session, focussing on safely moving around the hall, while changing direction and following instructions.





Our rehearsals for our Christmas Nativity have begun as we are learning traditional carols to entertain you with.