



Friday 21st June

We have had another fun week exploring traditional tales learning all about the naughty Goldilocks and her visit to the three bears' house. Our tale for next week is The 3 Little Pigs. We have been so impressed with the enthusiasm for more independent writing in class and the children are really sharpening their skills ready for Year 1.



Phonics

There has been some excellent reading and spelling in Phonics this week, the children are reading and spelling complex words with relative ease and fluency. We will be introducing words ending in 'ing' and 'ed' next week.

Many of the children are really strong when reading the tricky words, but less so with writing them. Playing games such as Hangman at home can really help with developing their awareness of spelling tricky words. A list is attached. The children are taught to know how to read and write these without sounding and blending them.

Next week!

Monday - both classes will be taking part in a gymnastics festival in the morning as part of sports week. Please can all children come to school on Monday in P.E. kit.

Thursday - both classes are taking part in our EYFS Sports Day. We would like to start at 2pm so if you are able to attend, please wait in the main office area from 1:50. You will be walked down to the field ready for the children to come out. So that the event can run smoothly, we would like to ask you not to call your child over to you, that way we can make sure that all the children are safely accounted for. Once all of the events have been completed, you can take your children home with you straight from school. If you are not able to attend, pickup will be at the normal time from the classrooms. Can all children come to school in P.E. kit.

Friday - children who are 5 will have dentist checks in school - if your child is 5 and you wish for them to have a dental check in school, you must return the permission form sent out last week. If you need a new form then please speak to the main office staff.

Both classes this week have had their final Balanceability lessons. We are so proud of everyone for showing such determination and resilience and our instructors have been so impressed with the children's enthusiasm. We hope all of the children continue enjoying riding their bikes!

Here is a full list of the **tricky words** taught this year. We teach the children that these should not be blended when reading.

We are also encouraging them to spell these words correctly when writing, with other writing we look for it to be phonetically plausible eg **castle** could be spelt as 'casul' and **princess** might be 'prinses'.

Phase 2

is I the put pull full as and has his
her go no to into she push he of
we me be

Phase 3

was you they my by all are sure
pure

Phase 4

said so have like some come love
do were here little says there when
what one out today