



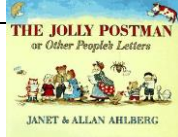
Reception RWJ Newsletter

April 2018



This term we will be continuing to challenge the children with exciting experiences in all areas of learning and prepare the children for the transition into year one.

EXCITING STORIES



During our Literacy Sessions this term we will be listening to a variety of different stories including the Jolly Postman, Burglar Bill, Super Worm, The Town Mouse, The Country Mouse and the Train Ride. We will be looking at non-fiction books about the People who help us in our local area and about other countries. We will be writing independent sentences to describe characters, setting and events. We will also be looking at different forms of writing including lists, instructions, book reviews and letters.

PHONICS AND READING

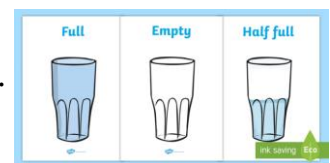
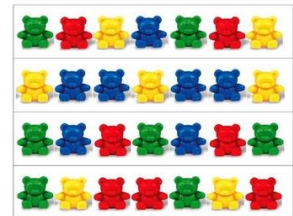
We are continuing our phonic sessions daily in small groups working on the letter sounds from phases 3, 4 and 5 learning that two letters can make one sound and how sounds can be written differently. We will be reading and writing tricky words

Please continue to read with your child at home and complete the home work of writing a sentence about the story. At the front of the reading record there is a list of high frequency words please continue to practise these.

NUMBER FUN

This term we will focus on

- Recognising numbers to 20 and beyond
- Ordering numbers 1-20
- Adding and subtracting numbers and writing number sentences
- Measure length, height, weight and capacity.
- Using, recognising and sorting coins and we will begin to add them.
- Learning 3D shape names and make patterns with shapes.
- Writing numerals to 20 forming them correctly.
- Counting in twos, tens and fives
- Solving problems which involve daubing, halving and sharing



Reminders

- Make sure your child's clothes including shoes and especially jumpers have their NAME in it. This will save us a lot of time. Thank you
- Please ensure your child has a coat in school each day due to our outdoor learning in Reception.

