



Reception Home Activities Friday 27th January

We have had a great time continuing the story of Stickman this week. We have thought about floating and sinking, and even enjoyed making our own game of Pooh sticks. All the children have made their very own Stickman this week and they look great displayed in the classroom.

Phonics: This week we have learnt week 6 of Phase 3. The sounds are ow, oi, ear and er. We have blended these sounds to read and segmented to spell words with these sounds.

Word Lists

ow: cow, down, frown, clown, crown

oi: point, oink, toilet, foil, boil, coin

ear: beard, spear, gear, tear, ear

er: fern, flower, mermaid, painter

In some of these words the children should recognise other special friends that we have learnt in the past few weeks. For example, painter has p-ai-n-t-er and flower has f-l-ow-er.

What other words can they think of with these sounds? We have continued to read captions such as I had a gold coin. The flower was pink. I can hear with my ear. The tricky words this week for reading are: you, this, that. The tricky words for spelling are: me, he, we, be, she.

PATHS: This week we have continued to think about when is an appropriate time to 'Do Turtle'. Maybe they can share this with you at home as we continue to think about how we can calm down when we have uncomfortable feelings.

Maths: We have really enjoyed learning about tally charts this week and counting in fives. Maybe they can show you how to record tally marks and practise counting in fives 😊

ICT: We have been using the computer to draw Stickman and also explore the sounds we have been learning in Phonics. http://www.familylearning.org.uk/phonics_games.html Try this website at home for some more fun games!

Maths Family Learning: Tuesday 7th, Wednesday 8th, Thursday 9th February, 1.45-2.45pm. Sign Up Sheets are available on the window where you drop off in the morning. Please join us to find out more about how we teach Maths through Stories.