



Our sound of the week will be 'o'. Please support your child in bringing an item that has the initial sound 'o' such as orange, otter or ostrich on Monday. Please remember it is the sound we are learning, therefore **Olaf and one** are not correct.

Our number activities will include comparing groups of objects and matching quantity to numeral.

This week's learning: We had a fun time taking part in the sponsored Nursery rhyme challenge. Thank you to those who have already sent in their sponsor money. We will use the money to buy resources for our outdoor area.

Polly, the children and the adults thoroughly enjoyed Polly's party. Photographs will soon be displayed in the book room.

Next week's learning: Christmas begins! We will decorate the Christmas tree and make our Christmas cakes. Thank you to everyone for the ingredients. We will continue to learn our Christmas songs (we're getting better) and we will learn more about the Christmas story. The home corner will have Christmas decorations added to it and Christmas activities will be added to the areas of provision.

Dates for you Diary: Our Christmas 'Stay and Play' session will take place on **Wednesday 12th December 2018**. You or a family member (if you cannot make it) and each child will take part in lots of Christmas activities. We kindly ask that toddlers do not attend this session as we have limited space. The session will last for approximately 45 minutes. Children come to nursery at the normal time and adults will return when the 'Stay and Play' session starts. The sessions will be 10.15am (morning children) and 2.15pm (afternoon children).

Our Nativity Play will take place on Tuesday 18th and Wednesday 19th December. To allow more family members to come and see your child perform, we will **NOT** be issuing tickets for the performances. All we ask is that each family member comes to just one performance and you share the days with the family so that not everyone comes to the same performance.

The Nursery Christmas party will take place on Friday 21st December. We will be sending out more details soon. **Please remember that the session will be 10.30am - 1.30pm for ALL children on this day.**

Thank you very much for your hat and glove donations. We really appreciate all the support you give us. Enjoy the weekend. Mrs Windsor and Mrs Hough.