

Reception home learning

Week ending 25th January 2019



Home activities

Overview of our week

This week we continued our topic of Dinosaurs and went on a hunt to help our friendly dinosaur find his missing dinosaur eggs. This was based on the book by Michael Rosen, 'We're Going on a Bear Hunt'. Just as in this story, we also had to navigate our way over and around obstacles.

Literacy: We have been drawing and writing labels for maps to show where we went on our dinosaur egg hunt and we wrote a story board to show our journey around the school.

Phonics: We have continued learning Phase 3 sounds this week alongside some new tricky words. Please keep practising these at home as much as you can!

New sounds: **ee oa ai igh**

New tricky words: **was no go** (also practise **the** and **to**)

Maths: In maths we have been learning about capacity. Capacity is how much something holds, and we can talk about it using words like **full** and **empty**. We have also been learning about sharing quantities equally into two groups. We have been using lots of practical objects to share into two groups and recording the numbers as we go.

Understanding the world: This week we conducted an experiment using frozen dinosaur eggs that we found on our Dinosaur Hunt. Our task was to find out which place would melt the ice in the quickest. We came up with lots of suggestions before deciding the most effective way to melt the ice.

- Tell your grown ups about the dinosaur's ice eggs experiment! Which place melted the ice the quickest? Why? What else could you do to melt the ice?
- Sort some everyday objects into two groups e.g. pasta, lego bricks. What number did you start with? How did you share equally? Was there any left over?
- Take lots of bottles and containers into the bath—have fun pouring and tipping **and** use some capacity words while you're doing it!
- Take 3 or 4 different bottles out of the cupboard. Which is the most full? Which is the emptiest? See if you can put them in order!
- Share a story, book or magazine with your grown ups. Can you spot any of our tricky words or new sounds?
- Can you remember the journey we took on our Dinosaur Egg Hunt—retell this to your grown ups.

Reminders and notes

On Monday we are inviting children to bring their bear (or other cuddly toy) to breakfast at school!

See flier on the reverse of this sheet for more details.

Bring a Bear to Breakfast!

To start our new topic of

Goldilocks and the Three Bears

we are inviting the children to

bring a favourite teddy bear to breakfast next week.



Please arrive to school at the normal time. We will offer the children a 'light' breakfast so they will probably still want to eat something at home first!

If your child has any food allergies then please speak to the class teacher.

Home learning Feedback from Parents / Carers of: _____

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25.01.19 Practise our new phonemes—circle the word that matches the picture.

	<p>chain train</p> <p>treen tran</p>
	<p>trai tree</p> <p>three thrih</p>
	<p>lait light</p> <p>leet lit</p>
	<p>peent pant</p> <p>paint pint</p>

	<p>jath lath</p> <p>path bath</p>
	<p>sing bing</p> <p>ling king</p>
	<p>chair shair</p> <p>thair fair</p>