



Reception Weekly Update

Monday 15th January – Friday 19th January

This week we have been:

- Choosing and creating our new role play areas. Puffins have chosen a space themed area and Choughs a rainbow world!
- Working on our scissors skills – cutting wavy lines, zig zags, circles etc.
- Sharing ‘We’re Going on a Lion Hunt’
 - We have created a story map together
 - We have noticed some similarities to and differences from the story ‘We’re Going on a Bear Hunt.’
- Creating our own adventure story – lots of unicorns, dogs and bears!

In Maths we have been:

- Learning about estimating! We have been trying to make sensible guesses.
- Using lots of different sized containers and lots of different size objects and estimating how many would fit in.
- Reasoning, explaining our thinking and sharing our ideas.

In Phonics we have been:

- Using our wipe boards to write words/ a sentence about our favourite toys.
- Introduced to the digraph ‘ss’ and phonemes ‘v’ and ‘j’. We have tried to articulate ‘ss’ ‘v’ and ‘j’, carefully formed ‘ss’ ‘v’ and ‘j’ using our patten and found ‘ss’ ‘v’ and ‘j’ in words. (jet, miss, vet, gloss, jacket, van)
- Learning to read and write the tricky words ‘she’ and ‘he’.

**Thank you for bringing in topic leaflets full of your comments.
It’s great to hear your views and about your child’s interests at home.**

