



Friday 7th December 2018

News

It has been a really exciting week in the Seahorse's class, yesterday we posted our letters to Santa. The children's behaviour was superb, and they were really excited as they walked to the post box, and posted their letters. We are now looking forward to performing in the KS1 play on Tuesday afternoon.

Next week we will be making ginger bread men. Please come and speak to us if you have any concerns about your child using any ingredients.

As the weather turns colder we will still be using the outside area. Please make sure that your child has a warm coat and suitable footwear.

Phonics

We've been learning the diagraphs oo, oo, they make the sounds as in b-oo-k and f-oo-d this week.. The children are thinking about words that contain those sounds and are learning to recognise that when they find a word with the diagraphs in that they make one sound.

Reading

It's really important that the children read as often as possible even if it is only for 5 minutes. We are holding a competition in Seahorses, were the children can win a chocolate treat on Fridays if they read 5 times a week or more. To help us please sign your child's reading diary every time they read at home.

Maths

We've been sorting the post, looking at the different numerals for the classes and delivering the post. This week we've been working on addition and adding 2 amounts together. We've been using practical objects like toys and beans to add the two groups together. This weekend I am sending home a packet of beans for the children to take home, for them to use to add different amounts together. How many different additions can they work out using the beans in the envelope?

Writing

I'm sending home an envelope and a piece of plain paper. The activity this weekend is for each child to think of a person that they want to send a card or a letter to and to create a card or a letter for them, then with your help address the envelope. We will then post the letters that the children have made.

WOW

Please send in any WOW moments that you and your child have had at home. Have they learnt a new skill? Been really caring? Demonstrated fantastic understanding? We really look forward to hearing your exciting news!