

Acorn News...

Friday 11th December 2020



In Phonics, we have learnt the sounds r h b and f. We have learnt the tricky word 'no'. We have been writing words containing these sounds and finding the sounds within words. We have been playing sound splat and a new game called 'boo' where we have to read words and keep them, if we find the word boo we have to put all our words back.

In Maths, we have been looking at the number 4. We have been counting 4 objects and finding different ways of arrange 4 counters over 2 plates. We have been looking at squares and rectangles. We have been describing these shapes and talking about the number of sides and corners. Both shapes have 4 straight sides and 4 corners. But a rectangle has 2 shorter sides and 2 longer sides. We also did some Christmas colour by number activities.

In RE, we recapped the Christmas story and remembered that it was celebrating Jesus' birth. We then compared Christmas to a birthday and saw that there were similarities with decorations, presents, outfits etc

We walked to the post box near the church to post our letters to Santa, we were all very well behaved and walked sensibly. It was very exciting and we can't wait to receive our replies!

Diary Dates....

- Wednesday 16th December—
Christmas Lunch and Christmas
Jumper Day

Christmas Cards

Please ensure your child brings in any Christmas cards they want to give out by Tuesday. We will quarantine the cards for 3 days before they are sent home.

Well done to Ellis, for fantastic sounding out of the word 'bat' in phonics and having a go at writing all of the letters!

Books

Library books are changed every Wednesday, you child can bring a new one home if they return the old one.

Reading books are changed every Tuesday and Friday, if your child has read at home (please comment in the yellow book), please ensure your child's reading book and reading record are in school **everyday**.

Home Learning

Please practise the sounds learnt so far in school with your child using the flashcards sent home (please let us know if you need another copy). Make some CVC words using the flashcards for your child to read e.g. cat dog hut run big sack tin peg pig duck net ten bed