

This Week's Learning

Welcome to this week's Talk Newsletter, our learning this week is based around our theme this half term "Traditional Stories" this week we are using the book "The 3 Little Pigs", we are making pig biscuits, creating pig masks by colour mixing red and white and acting out the story in group time, we will also be making the 3 pigs houses.

On Muddy Monday we will be accessing the Mud Kitchen. We are starting to learn Mother's Day songs and poems.

Please remember to complete the Parent's Evening form, not applicable if your child started in January as you have already spoken to your child's Key Person.



Muddy Monday Dates:

7th March, 21st March, 4th April, 9th May,
23rd May, 13th June, 27th June, 11th July.



Word Ninja of the Day

fantasy-when something isn't real

discover-search and find things

look-to move your eyes to something

dream-close your eyes and think of other things while asleep

harmless-something that isn't going to cause harm



Talk about what these words mean.

Can your child use these words correctly in a sentence?

Help them by modelling a sentence for them.

Colour of the Week: brown

Shape of the Week: rectangle (4 corners and 4 sides, 2 long and 2 short)

Story of the Week: The 3 Little Pigs

Rhyme of the Week

Here is a Flower

(Teach this as a spoken rhyme or choose your own tune)

Here is a flower,
For a very special day,
Just for you on Mother's Day.
Many hugs and kisses, too,
Each one says that I love you!



Poem of the Week**My Mum's Super Poem (Tune of Frere Jacques)**

My Mum's Super
My Mum's Super
She's the best
She's the best
She's a lovely lady
She's a lovely lady
I love her
She loves me

Phonics Activities

Children take part in Dough Disco activities weekly, parents can access these on YouTube, the presenter is Shonette Bason, follow the link address to access Dough Disco
https://www.youtube.com/results?search_query=shonette+bason+dough+disco

Your child will need a small amount of dough to use, this can be brought or made using this recipe.

2 cups plain flour
1 cup salt
1 tbs oil
1 cup cold water
2 drops liquid food colouring

1. Combine plain flour and salt.
2. Add water, food colouring and oil. Mix until ingredients are combined.
3. Knead well.
4. If consistency is too wet add a little plain flour.

Mathematics

Use the dough that you have made or brought to make dough numbers with your child.



Reminders

Please can we ask parents to remember to make the weekly £1.00 donation to the Pre-school fund, this helps us provide a snack of crackers, biscuits etc. to your child, we are also starting to cook and buy resources to enhance the theme of the week.

It can be paid in advance or on a weekly basis.

Please keep reminding your child to wash their hands and to sanitise on entry to Pre-school.

Pre-school sessions run from 8.45-11.45 (gate closes at 9am) and 12.30-3.30 (we release from 3.15pm) The gate on the top playground closes around 3.25pm.

Please keep us up to date with absences and reasons why your child may not be in school via the class DOJO or emailing preschool@amblecote.dudley.sch.uk.

Bring A Plant Week

During the week of the 21st
March we are asking for
donations of plants so that we
can enhance our outdoor area, thank you.



Have a good week
The Pre-school Team