

Reception Newsletter - 27.11.23



We will learn all about the story of the first Christmas. We will discuss why Christmas is celebrated and explore different traditions associated with Christmas. We will begin to practise for our Christmas production and take part in activities linked to the Nativity story.



PHONICS

We will learn to recognise, say and write:

/u/ as in umbrella

/r/ as in rabbit

Homework:

Please support your child to write the letters above and read and/or write the following words:

mug, bus, put, red, rip, rag



MATHS

We will be learning to compose and decompose numbers up to 5.

We will teach & use the following mathematical vocabulary:

part, whole, compose, decompose

WAYS TO SUPPPORT YOUR CHILD AT HOME:

Support your child to recall what they have learnt about the Nativity story. Encourage them to use the new key words we have introduced.

Practise forming numbers 1-5 accurately.

Support your child to read their decodable book and read and discuss their class library book with them.

REMINDERS

Please send your child into school in their Forest & PE kits:

Forest Kit- R2 Wednesday & R1Thursday PE Kits- Every Friday

Pantomime trip -Thursday 7th December (please pay & consent via Parent Pay)

Key vocabulary:

Festival, celebration, Nativity, angel, stable, manger, taxes



Song of the Week

It was on a starry night

https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=MCHL2t7xxus