



Flamingo's Newsletter

29th April - 3rd May



This week we have been learning...

Maths:

* We have been looking at equal and unequal grouping and revising place value concepts.

Literacy:

* We have completed our animal reports from last term.
* We have looked at and developed sentences so that we can write short narratives.

Science: * We have begun to develop our understanding of plants and seeds at this time of the year. We have planted different types of seeds and created our florist/garden centre station ready for further exploration and learning.

* History: * We have started our new topic to study a significant person in history. This week the children were developing their understanding of what an island is and they focussed attention on the lighthouse through the story of 'The lighthouse keeper's cat'.

Next week we will be learning...

Literacy: developing word work of verbs and adjectives through our story of 'Katie and the sunflowers'. This has cross curricular links with our artist study of Van Gogh.

Phonics: Revising phase 4 sounds and working on our phase 5 sounds.

Maths: we will be revisiting division through grouping and sharing.

EYFS - children will be exploring capacity through exploration with water, salt and sand! They will also develop their understanding of the world in the new florist and garden centre.

Reminders

Please make sure your child has a named water bottle in school.

Don't forget swimming kit on Tuesday.

Some PE kits and trainers are missing from school. With swimming on a Tuesday we will carry out our additional session on a Wednesday afternoon.

EYFS - Our focus for our home learning to upload on tapestry this week is for children to find out about what toys their grandparents, parents or carers used to play with and how they differ from toys today! We will be discussing this on Tuesday morning.