

Reception Class Round-Up

Friday 8 March 2019

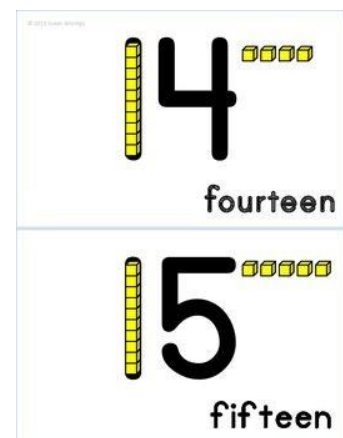
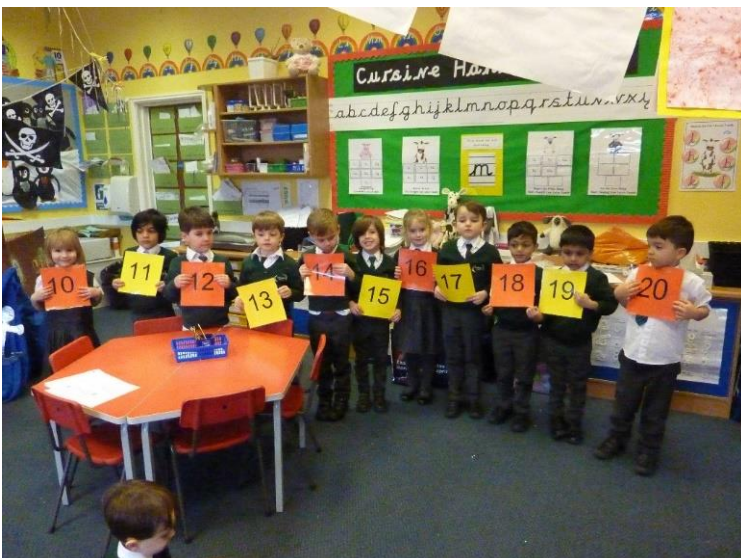


Some of the lovely things the children have been learning...

We have set sail with our new 'Pirates' topic and discovered why pirates love golden underpants. Our role play area has taken the shape of a pirate ship and we have all thought about a pirate name we would choose. We have started 'treasure challenges' and are rewarded with a golden coin for various tasks we complete. Our treasure is then converted into stamps at the end of the day.



In Maths we have been introduced to place value and have been representing teen numbers as tens and ones. We've played number bingo to reinforce number recognition and practised forming numbers to twenty. We have revisited money and have practised naming coins to 20p and placed them in order of value.



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The children have revisited time in Maths and secured ordering the days of the week and months of the year. Everybody made a paper plate clock face and practised showing and reading o'clock times.

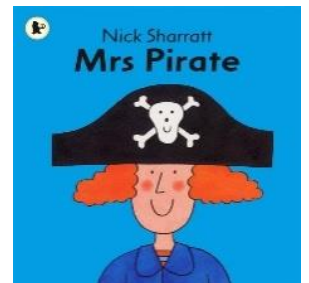
In phonics we have been introduced to blends...

nt as in tent nk as in pink ft as in lift sk as in skull

lk as in silk lt as in belt lp as in help lf as in shelf

Some of the things the children will be learning in the weeks to come...

- We will be reading simple instructions and writing our own for 'How to make a pirate hat'
- We will be helping 'Mrs Pirate' write her shopping list
- We will be comparing and ordering numbers to 20
- We will be writing addition and subtraction sentences
- relating to one more and one less

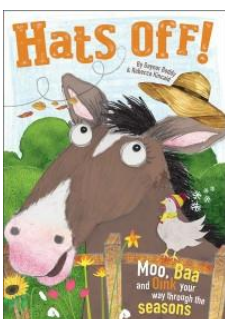


How to help your child at home...

- Encourage children to read simple instructions and recipes. Talk about the features of this style of writing
- Write a shopping list encouraging the children to write the sounds they hear
- Practice simple addition and subtraction in real life contexts (Up to 10 then 20)
- Continue to practice daily reading and use online reading eggs



What's going on next half term/ notices/ information...



We are looking forward to seeing you all at Open Day on Saturday 30 March. We are busy rehearsing 'Hat's Off' our seasonal production which will be performed that morning.

I'm looking forward to seeing you all during the next couple of weeks for parent consultation meetings.