

Reception Class Round-Up

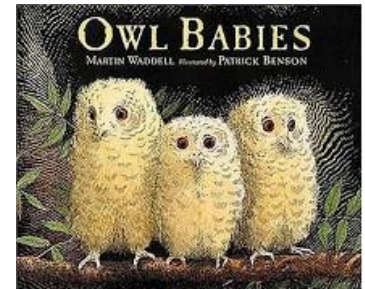
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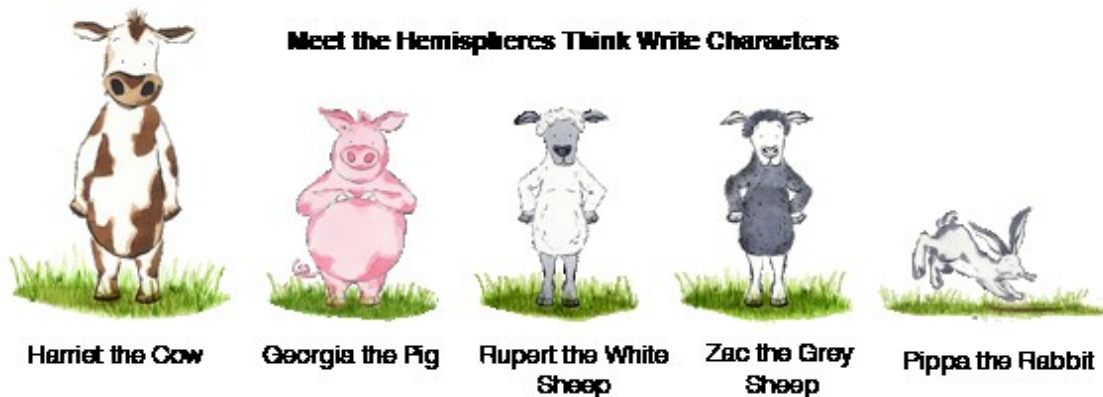
Some of the lovely things the children have been learning...

It's hard to believe we've completed two whole weeks in school and the class are now familiar with the work and structured play routines in Reception.

We have used the story 'Owl Babies' as our focus text in literacy. We have linked this to our own experiences of leaving our parents to come to school.



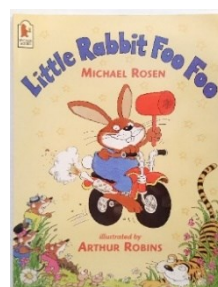
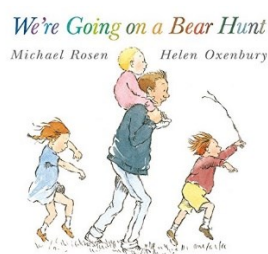
We have been trying hard to secure comfortable pencil grips and been learning how to form numbers 1 and 2 correctly. We have started *cursive handwriting* and been introduced to 'Harriet the Cow's' tall letter family. We have practised writing cursive *l*.



In Maths we have been counting to 10 and beyond and matching numerals to objects.

Some of the things that the children will experience in the coming weeks...

Next week we will start to look at books with repetitive chants. We will use the texts 'We're Going On a Bear Hunt' and 'Little Rabbit Foo Foo' in our learning.



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In maths, we will be looking for and creating our own repeating patterns and matching written numerals to amounts. We will also continue to practise number formation.



In phonics we have been introduced to sounds...

s a t p

How to help your child at home...

- Practise single letters and their sounds. Play games that encourage the children to identify the initial sounds of objects e.g. eye-spy
- Share stories, encourage the children to identify sounds in print
- Encourage mark making/ writing and practise holding a pencil correctly and comfortably
- Practise counting to 20
- Match numerals to amounts
- Encourage the children to dress/undress independently

What's coming up/notices/ information...

- Timetables have been sent home – please ask if you have any queries
- **Please remember to sign the Reading Record books each evening**
- Please name all uniform
- Handwriting - Please return books each Monday
- Each Friday afternoon we will have a 'Show & Tell' session. The children are welcome to bring in something small/inexpensive to talk about

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We've been busy in Reception...

