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Coming up next week...09/01/2023

**** Please remember to bring wellies back to school if you have taken them home over the Christmas break.****

Learning in school:

Theme for the Term: Tell us a story

During this topic we will be exploring stories about journeys, real and imagined, with a particular focus on the story, *On the Way Home* by Jill Murphy. We will be looking at different types of journeys with a focus on writing and using adjectives to describe the journey.

Theme for the Week: Where The Wild Things Are!

This week we will be focusing on character descriptions through our focus story of 'Where The Wild Things Are'. We will be reading the story and using adjectives to describe the 'Wild Things'. We will also be creating our own mini-monsters to join the Wild Things.

Phonics:

This week we will be recapping the digraphs and trigraphs we have learned previously (qu, ch, sh, th, ng, nk, ai, ee, igh, oa) and learning the new digraphs oo(look), oo(moon), ar and or.

Maths:

This week we will be continuing with our number bond work and using the vocabulary of 'part' and 'whole'. We will be working on recalling number bond facts to 5 without counting. (through memory / subitising)

Additional notes and reminders

Our junk modelling supplies have been greatly diminished. We would appreciate any donations of small boxes, lids of all sizes, clean yogurt pots etc. We would also like boxes of various sizes. Could larger size boxes please be flat packed.

Do you have any cardboard cable reels, cardboard tubes etc? We would love to have these for our new deconstructed role play areas.

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Please note that as the week progresses it is sometimes necessary to change what is planned to meet the learning needs of the children and therefore changes to the above may occur.