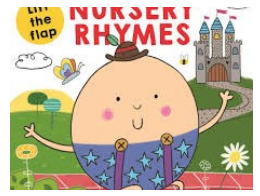
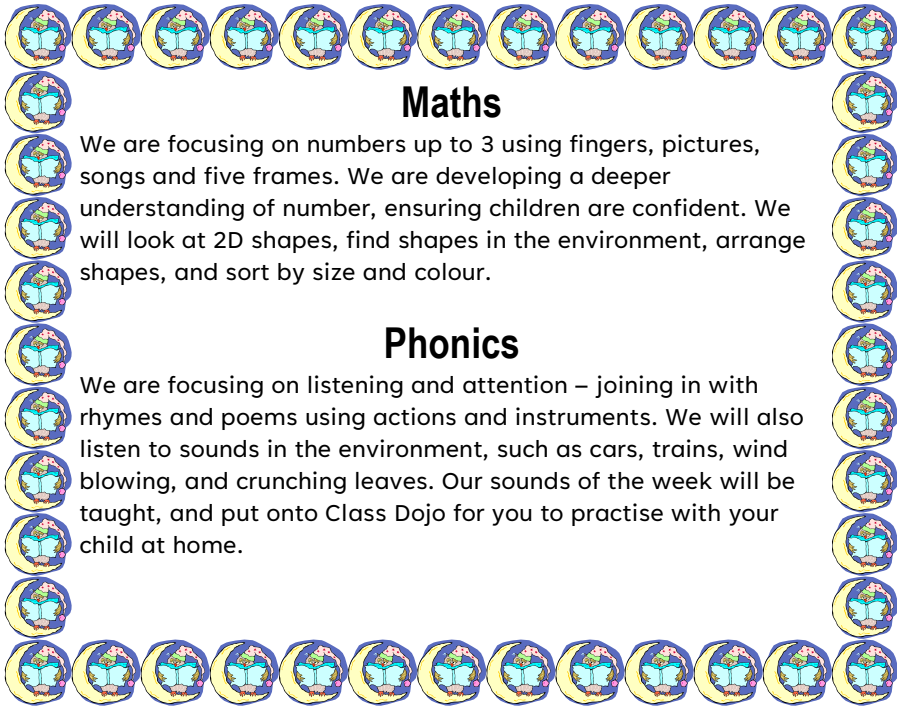


Nursery Newsletter

Term 3



Our theme this term is **Nursery Rhymes**. The children will have the opportunity to participate in a range of play activities related to Nursery Rhymes. Nursery Rhymes play an important role in early childhood development and education. Nursery rhymes boost children's vocabulary and language development. They help children develop literacy skills and provide a fun way to support early numeracy skills.



Maths

We are focusing on numbers up to 3 using fingers, pictures, songs and five frames. We are developing a deeper understanding of number, ensuring children are confident. We will look at 2D shapes, find shapes in the environment, arrange shapes, and sort by size and colour.

Phonics

We are focusing on listening and attention – joining in with rhymes and poems using actions and instruments. We will also listen to sounds in the environment, such as cars, trains, wind blowing, and crunching leaves. Our sounds of the week will be taught, and put onto Class Dojo for you to practise with your child at home.

Useful links:

Stories online:

<https://www.bbc.co.uk/cbeebies/stories>

Alphablocks: <https://www.bbc.co.uk/cbeebies/games/alphablocks-games>

Numberblocks: <https://www.bbc.co.uk/cbeebies/shows/numberblocks>

Reading

Please share a book with your child on a daily basis. Reading to your child will increase their vocabulary and understanding of the world.

Please feel free to enjoy the parent lending library in the Nursery cloakroom.

In the nursery this term

As the weather gets colder, please ensure your child brings a warm and waterproof coat, hat and mittens/gloves each day. Encourage your child to have a go at putting on his/her own coat. It is also beneficial for your child to have a pair of wellies. Please make sure your child's name is on their belongings.

Early Education Funding – 30 hours entitlement

If you are in receipt of thirty hours early education funding, it is vital that you renew your code with HMRC. Failure to renew your code prior to the expiry date will impact receipt of your funding. Please ensure that you action reminders with regard to your code that you receive from HMRC as soon as you receive it. If you would like to know when your code expires then please discuss with the Nursery team many thanks

We share lots of our learning on our social media sites. Please ensure that your child's consent forms are up to date on Arbor so we can share your child's learning. Website: www.cecilroad.co.uk
Facebook – Cecil Road Primary and Nursery School

Events this term - details to follow

Was your child born before August 31st 2021? You have until **January 15th** to apply for your child's school place. Please see: www.kent.gov.uk/education-and-children/schools/school-places/primary-school-places

Dr Mena Dental Workshop - **Friday 24th January**

Chinese New Year: Week beginning—**27th January**.

Sponsored Rhyme Challenge: Week beginning **10th February**.

Internet Safety Week: Week beginning **10th February**