



Sound & Number of the Week



Dear Parents and Carers,

We are just wanting to let you know that we are making a few changes to our 'sound and number of the week'.

Alongside our current practice, we will be sending home letter and number formation sheets for your child to complete at home. These do not need to be brought back into school as they are just there to support your child when learning at home. We will be sending home sheets for the sounds and numbers already taught and then this will continue on a weekly basis.

We will also be focusing on the 'sound of the week' in our Continuous Provision areas. This will help to raise phonological awareness and encourage mark making in lots of different forms. Each week the top shelves in our classroom will have activities and challenges for your child to complete. The challenge will depend on where your child is on their phonics learning journey and will be pitched according to the skills that they already know and can use independently. To make this clear to the children, the challenges will be colour coordinated and highlighted in the form of a coloured star.

As always we try to make our learning as fun as possible so that the children can enjoy their Nursery experience. We hope that you will support us in this ethos and ensure that children only complete tasks at home if they are willing and eager to do so.

If you have any questions or queries then please speak to a member of the EYFS team.

Thank you for your support
Mrs Neal & Mrs Holliday☺

