

Learning Preview Clarence Class

Autumn Term 2

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Dates: 20th November - 2nd December

How our learning will link to Clarence class children's lives, interests and experiences

- The children have been looking at and talking about familiar stories and have been finding out about nocturnal animals. We have had a big focus on bears in stories and have been thinking about our Learning Hero Bear, thinking about the qualities that us good learners. We will think about how we can help others and will link this to Pudsey Bear and Children in Need. Road Safety Week is upon us and the children will be thinking about how they can keep safe and will be making posters to alert others to how they can be safe especially on the roads.

How our learning will link to the wider world

With the seasons changing, the children have been thinking about light and dark and how this affects animals. They will talk about what they already know about hibernation and nocturnal animals and will share a variety of stories about bears and hibernating animals. We will be working hard to make a variety of books where we can share our new learning with others.

With Christmas fast approaching the children have been busy making lists, finding favourite toys and things of interest. We will also be thinking about familiar logos, signs and symbols that they recognise and displaying these in the classroom, then making some of our own.

Letters and Sounds

This half term we are continuing to recognise s,a,t,i,p,n m,d, g,o,c,k. as well as b, f, h, u, e, r, ff, ss, l, ll

Can you use your robot arms to decode words containing these sounds?

Books linked to our learning

Whatever next - *Jill Murphy*
Peace at last - *Jill Murphy*
We're going on a bear hunt - *Michael Rosen*
Kipper's Monster - *Mick Inkpen*
Can't you sleep little bear? - *Martin Waddell*

Christmas songs

A copy of songs for our Christmas show will be coming home in book bags this week so please encourage your child to practise these at home and enjoy listening to them!

Ideas

-When walking to school talk about the signs you see on the road. Think about what instructions you would give to somebody else when crossing the road.

-When looking through books, encourage your child to find words and letters that they recognise. Collect lots of different packaging that your child recognises and talk about these, including the colours, patterns, and letters that they contain.