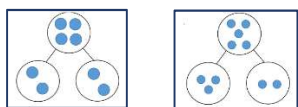


## This Week...

We have continued learning our letters and sounds. We practised all of our taught phase 2 and phase 3 sounds and continued to practise reading longer words such as 'laptop' and 'rocket'.

In maths, we have been learning all about the composition of numbers 4 and 5. We have enjoyed finding different ways to make 4 and 5 using part, part, whole models.



To celebrate Safer Internet Day, the children enjoyed learning all about Smartie the Penguin who taught us a rhyme to remember how to be safe online – Check it out on Twitter.

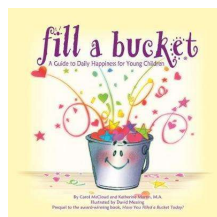
The children enjoyed wearing their clothes inside out on Thursday to support Mental Health Week and have enjoyed taking part in mindfulness visualisation, co-operation games and yoga.

In our continuous provision, we have continued with our Henri Rousseau inspired collage paintings and can't wait to see them up on display! To celebrate Relationship Day, we have been making 'love potions' in the water tray, reading tricky word love letters and cutting our own spiral heart decorations on the funky fingers table.



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### This Week's Book



### Alice in Wonderland

This week the children enjoyed a visit from a local theatre production company who performed Alice in Wonderland live for the children! The children had so much fun and enjoyed writing their own stories when they returned to class.



## Star of the Week



Bluebells: Jessica Prosser

Daffodils: Lottie Garner

These children have been caught going over and above this week!

### Pancake Tuesday

When we return to school the children will enjoy celebrating Shrove Tuesday by making their own pancakes for snack. Please can you make sure the consent form is completed on ParentApp by Monday 20<sup>th</sup> February.

Thank you.



### Half Term

We hope you all have an enjoyable, restful half term.

School will reopen on

Monday 20<sup>th</sup> February at 8:50am

We love to see and hear about your child's achievements at home. We would love if you would share these with us on Seesaw.

We would love to see their reading, writing, maths, creative and physical skills at home. Have they learnt to ride a 2 wheeler bike? Have they learnt to make their bed? Can they tie their shoe laces/ fasten buttons/buckles? Let us know!