

Early Years News 6

Dear Parents and Carers,

This week we have continued to learn about Autumn and also explored the story of The Little red Hen. We have been retelling the story using puppets and adding actions. Do you have a copy of the story at home that you could share together? There are also some great versions online.



General reminders

- We have noticed more than one case of head lice in the EYFS class this week. Letters have come home but some letters are still in book bags!! **Every** child's hair needs checking please so that we can eliminate this. Book bags should be checked and emptied every day please.
- A note for your diary – There will be a whole school trip to see The Snowman at Buxton Octagon on Tuesday 4th December at 11am. This will be explained in detail on a letter but I am giving advance notice as parents of **NURSERY** children will need to accompany their child due to the required adult to child ratios linked to the child's age.
- Next week we children will be involved in our annual Christmas card project, creating their own cards that you can choose to order. These will come home before the half term holiday with all the information you need to order over the holiday if wish. As well as having your own child's design on the cards, the helps to raise money for resources in school.



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Have a look at The Little Red Hen Story together either online or in a book if you have it.

Thank you

Reception homework tasks

Here are two new terms that we will be using in Phonics from now on; **Tricky words (TW)** and **High Frequency Words (HFW)**

Tricky Words are words that cannot be sounded out in the usual way. Children need help to learn to recognise by sight. Currently we are learning **to** and **the**. The HFW we are learning to recognise at the moment is **and**. **The words are included on the reverse of this sheet for use as flash cards.**

Again please keep working on any relevant targets on the homework sheets. Also, this week please help your child to have a go at pages 11 and 12 in the Phonics booklets.

Thank you.

Have a lovely weekend! Mrs Davison, Mrs Shuker, Mrs Swindells, and Mrs Nash

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