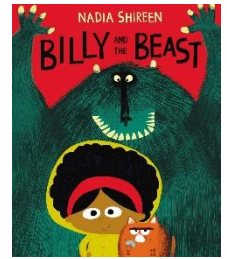


Our Learning Journey

- We have been reading Billy and the Beast. The children have been acting out and retelling the story through drama to help plan and rewrite their own version to continue next week.
- In maths we have been learning to count in repeated groups of 2 to 20 using socks or counters. We have been counting forwards and backwards in twos, you can use a number line to help remember the numbers above 10. We have been doubling numbers/objects to 12.
- We have been doing Geography this week, looking at the seasons/weather and how it changes over the year, comparing the different clothes/objects you might need. We have been looking at different maps of the world and London to see where we live and what the purpose of a map is.



Our Home Learning

- **Phonics:** we have been learning split digraphs this week. This is where two letters make one sound but they are split with another letter in-between. Can you spot any a_e, e_e, i_e, o_e, u_e digraphs in words you see around or in books?
- **Reading:** please listen to you child read for ten minutes every day.
- **Maths:** practice counting in 2 forwards and backwards. Use objects to count in repeated groups of two. E.g. counters or 1p/2p coins. Can you count how many socks you have in 2s? How many pairs do you have?
- **Home Learning:** continue completing your home learning to hand in next Friday.

Our Learning Toolkit



We have been using our making links tool to look at maps of London and make our map of the route to the Transport Museum.

Dates for your Diary

Reception, Year 1 & Year 2 Assemblies
@ 9am Upper Hall
All Welcome
Fri 22nd Nov
Fri 6th Dec

Winter Fair
Friday 6th December
3:00pm – 4:30pm

Learning Reviews

Year 1 – Thursday 5th December
08:45am – 7pm

This is a perfect opportunity for you to spend 15 minutes talking with your child and their teacher about their learning. You will get the chance to look at your child's books/folders and find out what they enjoy doing at school. Thank you for your continued support – we look forward to seeing you at the learning review. Appointments are available from 08:45am – 7pm & can be booked through the office.



Science Workshops

- Thank you to all the parents who supported our Science Workshops this week.
- In science we will be looking at animals this half term. Can you identify fish, birds, mammals and amphibians? What makes an animal a mammal etc?
- We have started to look and seasons and will continue this over the year. Can you notice any changes happening around you in nature? What happens to the leaves and weather? What other changes are there?

