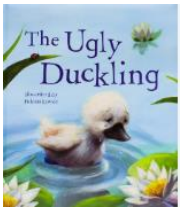
Nursery Newsletter

Friday 10th January



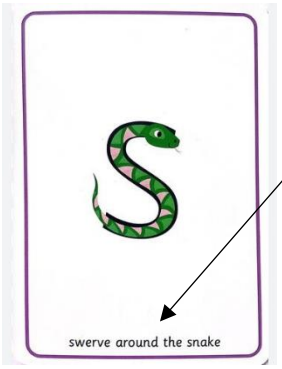
Theme: Once Upon a Time!

This term we will focus on many different traditional tales. This week we began with the 'The Ugly Duckling'. We listened and watched different versions of the story. We also discussed and created a library. We explored different books to read.

Key vocabulary:

duckling, duck, swan, sad, special, swimming, splash

This term we will begin 'phase two phonics'. Each week we will focus on one 'grapheme phoneme correspondence'. This week we learned the sound 's'. We listened to many words including 'snake', 'silly', 'stinky', 'swamp' and thought of some of our own words where we hear 's'. We thought of 'sock', 'star' and 'Spiderman'.



This is the handwriting phrase that your child has learnt for when they write the sound 's'.

Rhyme of the week

Row Row Row your boat

https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=FnxTQIMXykQ

In Maths this week we reviewed our previous learning in Autumn Two. We read stories discussing big and small objects, and found parts that repeated! We sorted objects into piles and discussed which had more, fewer or the same.

Key vocabulary:

more, fewer, same, big, bigger, small, smaller, repeat

Notices:

- Please complete and return the EYFS Pupil Premium form at your earliest convenience.

Dates for your diary:

- 15th January - Reception application losing date

What you can do at home:

- Talk, talk and more talk! Provide daily opportunities for communicating with your child.
- Can you find any objects that start with the sound 's'?
- Create piles of objects and discuss which pile has more, fewer or the same number of items.
- Look around your environment. Can you see objects that are big? Small? Bigger? Smaller?