

Learning in Reception this week – 2nd October 2023 – The Little Red Hen



Drawing Club Vocabulary

Each week the children learn new words relating to our theme of the week. They learn an action to help them remember each word. Ask your child about the words we have been learning this week.

- Baking
- Ingredients
- Dough
- Kneading
- Rising
- Unhelpful
- Collaborating



Phonics

This week we have learnt the sounds:

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We have also learnt s a t p i n m d g o c k so far.



Amazing Artists

This week we recapped British animator **Nick Park**. We looked at some more of the characters he has created including **Morph** again. We then used playdough and tools to create **playdough people**. We added detail using the tools.



PE

This week we took part in an **obstacle course** linked to the Little Red Hen story. The children had to jump into hoops, balance on benches, weave in and out of cones and throw beanbags into a target.



Maths

This week we learnt about the **number one**. We found things with a number 1 on: 1p coin, 1 spot on a dice, one & 1, Numberblock 1, 1 spot on a domino.

We also learnt about shapes with 1 side – **circle & oval** and went on a shape hunt in the classroom to find circles and ovals.

You can watch the Numberblocks 'One' episode again here... [Numberblocks One](#)

We have also been **sorting** objects in different ways, by colour, shape, size and making sets.

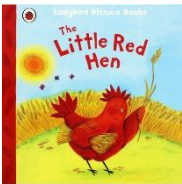


Discovery Detectives (History, Geography, Science)

This week we have been learning about **how bread is made** and the ingredients needed. We made our own bread rolls, they were delicious!

We found out that in different countries they have **different types of bread**. We tried some different bread including bagels, brioche and flatbread.

Watch the story of the week here



[The Little Red Hen](#)



Welly Wednesday

This week the children listened to the Little Acorn story. They enjoyed finding out which seeds came from which tree - exploring **conkers, acorns and maple seeds**. They learnt about the **life cycle** of a seed and what they need to grow. The children enjoyed exploring the field and finding natural items.



RE

This week we met Imran and were introduced to the **Muslim** religion of **Islam**. We learnt that their special book is the **Quran** and listened to the stories of Muhammad and the ants and the crying camel.



Continue your learning at home

Visit a **bakery** or go to the supermarket and find the bakery section, choose a new bread to try **or** try making your own bread at home.