



# EYFS Newsletter

Thursday 21<sup>st</sup> October 2021

## What have we been learning?

This week the children in nursery have enjoyed exploring pumpkins and hiding in our 'writing dark den' that we created under one of the tables in our classroom. We have spent time looking at photographs of our first term in nursery, and enjoyed talking about the things we have learnt about.

Our 'Mindful Monday' topic this week was *collaboration and team work*. We spoke about the importance of working together and how effective this can be. The children have shown a particular interest in minibeasts in our Busy Garden this week, so we decided that our **big question** would be, 'Where do minibeasts like to live?', to see if we could attract more into the garden. The children have also enjoyed writing magic spells in Talk for Writing and using the language of 'more' and 'less' during our maths lessons.

*All of the EYFS team would like to say a big well done to all of the children in EYFS for a fantastic first half-term! We are looking forward to next term and all the fun that it will bring.*

### Thought for the week...

*Why is it great to work as part of a team?*

### Silly question of the week...

*Encourage imaginative thinking and language development by discussing this week's silly question!*

*Would you rather live in a jungle or in the sea?*

## Helping at Home

Go on a 'sound hunt' around your house, looking for things that start with:

s, a, t, p, i, n, m, d, g, o, c, k, e, u

Can you practise forming these letters?

Follow our school Twitter account for updates and challenges to try at home!



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### Don't forget...

Remember to complete your autumn half-term homework and upload photos to Teams. We will be sharing them in class next term.

Remember to read with/to your child every day at home to help develop their love of reading and books.