



YEAR R NEWSLETTER 19.1.2026

Last week, in Drawing Club the children learnt the story of 'Goldilocks and the Three Bears'. They did some wonderful drawings of Goldilocks and the bears' cottage and had brilliant ideas about how Goldilocks could say sorry to the bears. Check if your child can remember some of the key parts of the story.

This week we will be exploring more stories about Winter.

SELF-APPRECIATION AND MUTUAL RESPECT

Self-appreciation is about knowing and understanding our own strengths and limitations, accepting and respecting yourself for who we are, celebrating our uniqueness.

Mutual respect is understanding that we all don't share the same beliefs and values. Respecting the values, ideas and beliefs of others whilst not imposing our own on others.

Mrs White has set the next rainbow challenge for YR to earn their next rainbow pin. The challenge is optional but if your child would like to take part then they must complete **all 4** tasks to earn their pin.

Please follow the instructions to upload evidence to Tapestry by **6th February**.

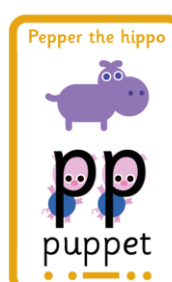
Make a new observation for your child with the title Self-appreciation and Mutual respect. Add evidence for all 4 challenges to the **same** observation; this can take the form of photos or videos.

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Celebrating ourselves	Say what makes you unique.
Visits	Visit the local library to read a book
Food	Enjoy food from your own culture and say why you like it
Praying	Say a prayer thanking God for making you.

Phonics

This week we are learning:

Double Letters -



Maths— Mass and Capacity

In school we will be using balance scales to compare the mass of different objects. We will also be weighing them by counting how many cubes it takes to balance. At home try to get children to use the words heavier and lighter when comparing objects.

School Mass

We are hoping to see lots of Reception children joining us at the whole school mass at St Vincent's church at 10.30am on Sunday 25th January. Children can sit at the front with their friends and school staff to help us with the singing.

Thank you for your continued support.