



Early Years Newsletter 10th January 2025

Welcome back to a new term in Early Years. This week the teachers have been blown away by how the children have settled back into their routines. As part of our new topic 'Once Upon a Time' where we will learn lots of traditional tales, we have read the story of Goldilocks and the Three Bears. This has inspired the children to make their own masks of the bears and Goldilocks and we have heard lots of growling bears as the children have been re-telling the story in the role play area. In the Art area we have been sponge printing using textured paint and created a collage using different materials to add detail to our bear shapes. When the playground has been safe to play in we have explored the icebergs which have appeared in our water tray and sand pit. We have learnt about the different animals that live in polar regions.

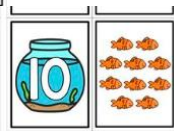
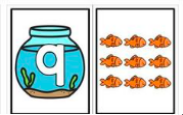
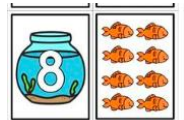
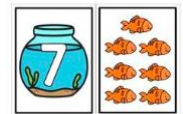


Winter is here!



Counting to 10

This week we have been practising counting to ten. When we have had groups of objects we have counted to find the totals and then find the correct numeral to match the group.



LAKESIDE PRIMARY ACADEMY

Ducklings
Star of the week

Evanna

I have been a superstar this week because
Fabulous focus and attention

LAKESIDE PRIMARY ACADEMY

Cygnets
Star of the week

Mahd

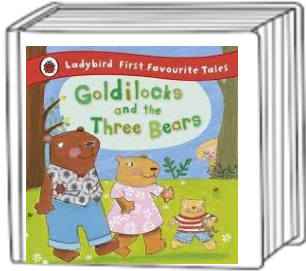
I have been a superstar this week because
Always ready to learn



With the cold weather we are having please remember to warm coats, hats and gloves as the children will still have access to outdoor provision.

STORY OF THE WEEK

Words we are learning...



Nosy, forest,
crept,
snoozed,
peckish.



Please use links from previous newsletters to practice saying the letter sounds. Below are some links to practise blending to read.

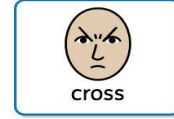
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This week our emotion is 'cross'

Last term we learnt the word 'Angry' and this week we have learnt a new word 'cross' which has the same meaning. We could remember how it made us feel and talked about how we can solve problems without aggression.



Link and QR for Goldilocks
<http://tinyurl.com/3ycbtuv2>



Some activities you could try at home with your child this week:

- Practise putting on your gloves.
- See how many numerals you can recognise on your journey home from school. Don't forget to look at house numbers, car number plates and on road signs.
- Read a story at bedtime.



Sound Blending Book

Click here for a link to the blending books to help you read at home.

Sound blending book 3

<https://www.oxfordowl.co.uk/api/interactives/29274.html>

Oxford Owl student log in:

Username: LakesideEYFS

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Scan here to listen to a bedtime story!



<http://tinyurl.com/3nhpx9bx>