



Early Years Newsletter 17th April 2025

This week we have been learning about Easter and finding out about how it is celebrated. We had fun looking at the giant Emu Egg Mrs Beaumont brought in to share which was a green Emu egg. Our story this week has been the Enormous turnip and we have acted out the story and learn about how we can grow our own plants. After we talked about how we keep ourselves healthy, we talked about the things we need to grow a plant and how it is important to look after our plant by giving it care, sunshine and water to help it grow into a healthy plant too. In our investigating area we have been observing plants and drawing them.



Sunshine and Sunflowers

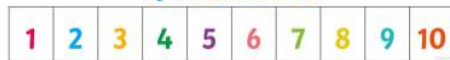
This week we start our new topic Sunshine and Sunflowers. We are hoping to grow lots of different plants for our outdoor area. If you have any spare plants, seeds, plant pots or compost you would like to donate please bring them into school.



maths

Counting on.

My 1 to 10 Number Track



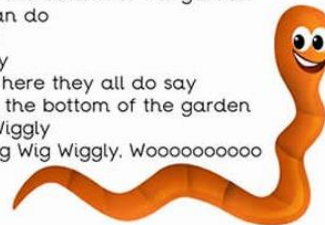
In our maths this week we have been learning about counting on. We learnt how to hop from one number to the next remembering not to count the number we are starting from. We have also been learning how to count beyond 20.



Song of the week:

There's a Worm at the Bottom of the Garden

There's a worm at the bottom of the garden
And his name is Wiggly Woo
There's a worm at the bottom of the garden
And all that he can do
Is wiggle all night
And wiggle all day
The people round here they all do say
There's a worm at the bottom of the garden
And his name is Wiggly
Wig Wig Wiggly, Wig Wig Wiggly, Woooooooooooo



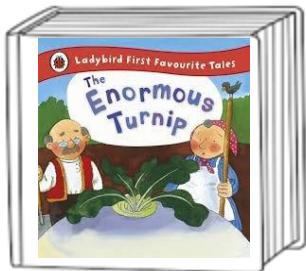
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<https://tinyurl.com/ycky3cfm>

STORY OF THE WEEK

Words we are learning...



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heave
baffled
help

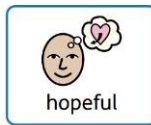


Here are links for the special friends sounds:



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This week our emotion is 'hopeful'



We all talked about things that we hopeful for. When we learnt about goals this week we talked about how this is something we are hoping for and how it is important to plan for how we are going to achieve our goals.



The Enormous Turnip:
<https://tinyurl.com/5n9x2br7>



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

- Can you have your own goal and think about how you will achieve it. You might like to learn how to make a cake.
- Hide an easter egg for a family member to find.
- Be a flower detective and see how many different flowers you can find.



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
Password: EYFS25



Scan here to listen to a bedtime story!

<https://tinyurl.com/m/2xutvpm2>

