

Learning Project– Celebrations Week 6

Age Range: EYFS

Weekly RWI Reading Tasks	Weekly RWI Phonics Tasks
<p>Monday-</p> <p>I have attached a pdf of a Ditty story for you to read at home. Please read Ditty 21 “A cat with a hat”. Ask your child to read the Green and Red words. Then, ask your child to read the short story by sounding out and blending the words. Now try a sentence together: “a frog with a spot”. Say the sentence and get your child to repeat the sentence after you 2 or 3 times. Ask your child to have a go at writing the sentence one word at a time. Remind your child to use a finger space after each word so we know where one word stops and another word starts as well as to use a full stop at the end of their sentence.</p>	<p>Monday-</p> <p>Read Write Inc Phonics: Review the sounds in Set 1 in your green sound books.</p> <p>We are now moving on to Set 2 sounds. Please click on the link below to watch the video which introduces the ‘oo’ sound: https://schools.ruthmiskin.com/training/view/tjh0x0L0/tbd5fAKP</p>
<p>Tuesday-</p> <p>I have attached a pdf of a Ditty story for you to read at home. Please read Ditty 22 “Up the hill”. Ask your child to read the Green and Red words. Then, ask your child to read the short story by sounding out and blending the words. Now try a sentence together: “I ran up the hill”. Say the sentence and get your child to repeat the sentence after you 2 or 3 times. Ask your child to have a go at writing the sentence one word at a time. Remind your child to use a finger space after each word so we know where one word stops and another word starts as well as to use a full stop at the end of their sentence.</p>	<p>Tuesday-</p> <p>Read Write Inc Phonics: Review the sounds in Set 1 in your green sound books.</p> <p>Please click on the link below to watch the spelling video for ‘oo’: https://schools.ruthmiskin.com/training/view/oLNsb8Gf/OZeSB8gE</p> <p>*Please complete RWI assessment this week. See guidance in the Memos- RWI assessment.</p>
<p>Wednesday-</p> <p>I have attached a pdf of a Ditty story for you to read at home. Please read Ditty 23 “Cats”. Ask your child to read the Green and Red words. Then, ask your child to read the short story by sounding out and blending the words. Now try a sentence together: “my cat is in bed”. Say the sentence and get your child to repeat the sentence after you 2 or 3 times. Ask your child to have a go at writing the sentence one word at a time. Remind your child to use a finger space after each word so we know where one word stops and another word starts as well as to use a full stop at the end of their sentence.</p>	<p>Wednesday-</p> <p>Read Write Inc Phonics: Review the sounds in Set 1 in your green sound books.</p> <p>We are now moving on to Set 2 sounds. Please click on the link below to watch the video which introduces the ‘oo’ sound: https://schools.ruthmiskin.com/training/view/yTuehjwu/zecfEFva</p> <p>*Please complete RWI assessment this week. See guidance in the Memos- RWI assessment.</p>

<p>Thursday- I have attached a pdf of a Ditty story for you to read at home. Please read Ditty 24 "Packing". Ask your child to read the Green and Red words. Then, ask your child to read the short story by sounding out and blending the words. Now try a sentence together: "I pack my ted". Say the sentence and get your child to repeat the sentence after you 2 or 3 times. Ask your child to have a go at writing the sentence one word at a time. Remind your child to use a finger space after each word so we know where one word stops and another word starts as well as to use a full stop at the end of their sentence.</p>	<p>Thursday- Read Write Inc Phonics: Review the sounds in Set 1 in your green sound books.</p> <p>Please click on the link below to watch the spelling video for 'oo': https://schools.ruthmiskin.com/training/view/LFzJq9m5/I6W8u4H1</p> <p>*Please complete RWI assessment this week. See guidance in the Memos- RWI assessment.</p>
Weekly Writing Tasks	Weekly Maths Tasks
<p>Monday- Share the Chinese New Year Power Point (also available in PDF if you don't have Power Point). Discuss with your child how Chinese New Year is celebrated. Ask your child to write a sentence about Chinese New Year and how it is celebrated.</p>	<p>Monday- Look at the Oak National Academy website. This has an excellent Home Learning section for maths. Click on 'Schedule' at the top right-hand corner. Select 'Reception'. Have a look at the short video clip for Maths for each day and have a go at the corresponding activity.</p>
<p>Tuesday- Share the collection of short videos about Chinese New Year https://www.bbc.co.uk/cbeebies/watch/chinese-new-year. Ask your child to make a card to celebrate Chinese New Year. What are they going to draw on the front? How are they going to decorate it? Who are they going to write it to? What might they say in their card?</p>	<p>Tuesday- Look at the Oak National Academy website. This has an excellent Home Learning section for maths. Click on 'Schedule' at the top right-hand corner. Select 'Reception'. Have a look at the short video clip for Maths for each day and have a go at the corresponding activity.</p>
<p>Wednesday- Handwriting- this half term we are going to focus on the curly caterpillar letters (they start anticlockwise and are often the trickiest for children!) When doing handwriting with your child, please encourage them to hold their pencil properly and form their letters correctly. Please find attached a handwriting pdf for the letter g.</p>	<p>Wednesday- Look at the Oak National Academy website. This has an excellent Home Learning section for maths. Click on 'Schedule' at the top right-hand corner. Select 'Reception'. Have a look at the short video clip for Maths for each day and have a go at the corresponding activity.</p>
<p>Thursday- Design your favourite pancake. Would you like a savoury or sweet pancake? Explain what savoury and sweet is. What toppings would you have on your pancake? Ask your child to either draw their pancake or you can use the pancake template provided. Ask your child to write a list of ingredients they will need to make their pancakes. If your child can, encourage them to write a sentence about what they would put on their pancake e.g. I would put lemon and sugar on my pancake. Encourage your child to sound out their words using their 'Fred Fingers' and then write down the sounds that they can hear. Don't worry if the words aren't spelt correctly.</p>	<p>Thursday - Look at the Oak National Academy website. This has an excellent Home Learning section for maths. Click on 'Schedule' at the top right-hand corner. Select 'Reception'. Have a look at the short video clip for Maths for each day and have a go at the corresponding activity.</p>

Learning Project - to be done throughout the week

The project this week aims to provide opportunities for your child to learn more about celebrations.

Chinese New Year Activities:

- <https://www.topmarks.co.uk/ordering-and-sequencing/chinese-dragon-ordering> - Chinese New Year maths games. Focus on the number games from 0-10 in both the sequencing and the ordering games. To extend and challenge you could move to 0-20 but only if your child is secure with numbers to 20.
- Make a Chinese Dragon- you could make it out of junk, construction toys like lego or make it with playdough.
- Try some Chinese foods- what did you like? What didn't you like? Why?
- Retell the story of how Chinese New Year came about.
- Make a Chinese lantern.
- Make a dragon mask. You could wear it when you are dancing.
- Move/dance to Chinese Music. Here is a video to give you some ideas- <https://www.bbc.co.uk/cbeebies/watch/lets-go-club-chinese-lion-dance?collection=chinese-lunar-new-year>
- <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=by5sTzh67fU> – A simple song and dance to join in with.
- Make a music shaker- you could use rice/pasta/beans/lentils in a cup.
- Make a Chinese paper plate drum- <https://www.bbc.co.uk/cbeebies/makes/chinese-rattle-drum-make?collection=chinese-lunar-new-year>.
- Use chop sticks or sticks to pick up some objects in your house. How easy is it? Which things are easier to pick up? Why do you think they are easier to pick up?
- Have a go at writing some numbers or letters in Chinese.

Shrove Tuesday Activities:

- Share the Power Point on Pancake day. (Use the pdf if you cannot access power point). Discuss why people have pancakes on Shrove Tuesday. Can you remember who celebrates Shrove Tuesday? Why do they celebrate Shrove Tuesday? Can you remember what ingredients you need to make a pancake?
- Measure out ingredients to make pancakes.
- Ask your family what are their favourite toppings? Can you write them down? Could you make a chart to show the favourite choices?
- Taste test- use a blind fold and try different fillings you could use on a pancake. Do you know what it is? Does it taste sweet/bitter? Can you describe how it tastes?
- If you can, make a pancake relay race in the garden.

Activity ideas for INSET day/half term:

- Play a board game which requires taking in turns.
- Play hunt the special friends (ng, sh, ee etc). Hide post it notes with special friends around the room/house/ garden.
- Share stories together. Talk about your favourite stories and why you like them.
- Learn a new skill- practise putting on your coat and zipping it up/ putting on your gloves/doing up buttons/ tying up your shoe laces.
- Make a Valentine's Day card for someone you love.
- Play number bingo.
- Work together to build/make something. It could be a picture, model or jigsaw puzzle.
- Send some post- draw a picture/ make a card or write to a friend/grandparent.
- Go on a shape hunt.

Additional learning resources parents may wish to engage with

- White Rose Maths – <https://whiterosemaths.com/homelearning/> - Daily Maths lessons
- Numberblocks – <https://www.bbc.co.uk/cbeebies/shows/numberblocks> - Great maths videos to support maths learning
- Alphablocks - <https://www.bbc.co.uk/iplayer/episodes/b01cz0p1/alphablocks>
- Oxford Owl – <https://www.oxfordowl.co.uk/> For free eBooks to read (you will need to register on the website to set up a free account)
- Ruth Miskin you tube channel – <https://www.youtube.com/c/RuthMiskinTrainingEdu> - Daily lessons to support phonics learning
- Phonics Play- <https://www.phonicsplay.co.uk/> - Phonics games
- PE with Joe – <https://www.youtube.com/user/thebodycoach1> A huge bank of 30 minute activity sessions for children to do at home with their family
- Cosmic Kids- [Watch - Cosmic Kids](#)- A range of yoga and mindfulness videos for your children to do at home.