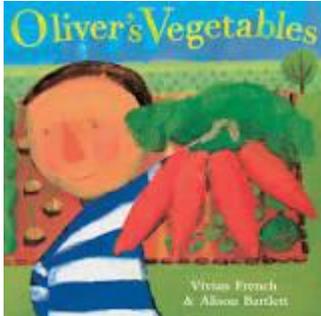




# Peek at the Week

Friday 17<sup>th</sup> May



What a busy week we have had in Waveney Class. We have been learning about growing vegetables and our theme book for this week has been *Oliver's Vegetables* by Alison Bartlett and Vivian French. Thank you for sending in vegetables - we had fun exploring the look, smell, texture and taste, especially when we made vegetable soup! The Reception children compared

the mass of vegetables to put them in order from heavy to light and we made and interpreted a pictogram of our favourite vegetables (the favourite was carrot). Some children doubled quantities of vegetables to make soup for two people. The Nursery children sorted items by colour and size and followed instructions with positional language. We looked at pictures from the story and wrote in speech bubbles what we thought the characters were saying. We drew and painted vegetables and used them for printing. We have also been doing musical drama about the story of *The Enormous Turnip*.

**Please note** - Our educational visit this year will be on Wednesday 12<sup>th</sup> June and we will be going to Ringsfield Hall Environmental Centre. A letter will be sent out shortly.

**Request** - Can you remind the children that they shouldn't be bringing toys from home in case they get lost or broken, please. Also our theme story next week is about *Supertato*, so we will have lots of potato themed activities - your child will need to bring 2 potatoes, please. Many thanks for your support.



Waveney Class's Star of the Week is **Henry Popaj** who has demonstrated a good knowledge of vegetables and has shared his knowledge with the class. Well done, Henry, we hope you have fun with *Star the Pony*!

## ★ THIS WEEK'S ★

### READING STARS

#### Bronze

Riley Davies

Scarlett Adams

Archie Cunningham

George Nicholls

#### Gold

Amelia Oldridge

#### Rainbow

Reuben Rankin

#### Sparkly

Henry Popaj

**WELL DONE!**



## HOME LEARNING!

**Nursery** Find three, four or five vegetables and put them in order of size. Say which is the biggest and smallest. Can you find another one that is the same size?

**Reception** Make a list of vegetables that grow above the ground and those that grow under the ground. Choose one vegetable and describe it (colour/shape/texture/smell/taste).

Have a super weekend! The Early Years Team