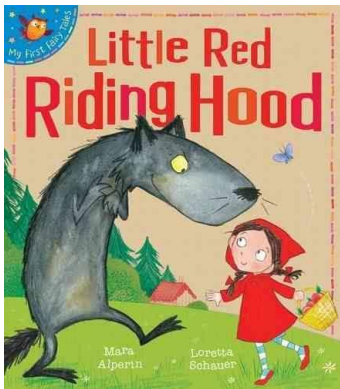


Peek at the Week

Friday 1st October



We have had a very busy week in Waveney Class. Our theme story has been Little Red Riding Hood and we read two different versions during the week, talking about the things that were the same and different in the books. We used story props to retell and act out the story in the role play area. The children enjoyed dressing up and used some of the language from the book. We talked about things we would take to our grannies, drew the items and identified the initial letter sound. Some of us had a go at writing some of the letters or words. We received a letter from Little Red Riding Hood asking us to tell the wolf not to come to granny's house. Some of us wrote letters back to the wolf. Well done Grace for writing a super letter. On Tuesday we made delicious cupcakes like the ones Little Red Riding Hood took to Granny. We sequenced the pictures to show how we made them. We also created pictures in frames using natural items and made paper flowers that our grannies would like. We went on a sound walk and made lists of what we heard.



In **Maths**, we investigated number 4 and linked it to measurement, money and time. We all made 4 using a variety of maths apparatus, including Multilink cubes, Numicon, pennies and pound coins, and kilos. We investigated triangular based pyramids and talked about the properties. We looked at 4 o'clock and played What's the Time Mr Wolf.

In **phonics** we are working on blending and segmenting letter sounds by listening to make words. For example, I say "s-a-t" and they say "sat" (blending), or I say "pat" and they say "p-a-t" (segmenting). This is a skill the children need to develop before they learn to read and write words.



The **Nursery** children have also been doing lots of role play and have sung lots of number rhymes, such as Five Fat Sausages and Five Currant Buns. They used play dough to make cakes and decorated them, to practise for making real cakes the next day.

Thank you to those parents that sent in the cookery donations. We would really appreciate it if you are able to send in £1 towards the ingredients we use this term.



Well done to Alfie who is Waveney Class's Star of the week! He has worked really hard on lots of activities and worked hard to write the first letter of his name.



Well done to Darlie who has read the first 10 books from the reading list and talked about them. She has received her first certificate.

Please note The Reception children have brought home a **reading book**. Talk about the front cover. What can they see? What do they think the book will be about? Look at the book together, talking about the pictures and what is happening. The next time, see what your child can remember about the story. Ask them to find the page where a particular event happened. Relate the book to your child's previous knowledge and experiences. Your child will read twice a week in school and we will change the book when we read with them. Please write comments in the reading record book and sign the card on each day they read with you. Please make sure the reading book and a record stay in the folder and come into school every day. Thank you. If you have any questions, we will be able to answer them at the meeting on Wednesday.

We change the **library books** on a Friday, so they can stay at home for the week.

Home Learning

Nursery

Find some pictures of farm animals and name them. Can you make the animal noises?

Reception

Take a photograph of yourself listening to your favourite storybook. Bring the book in to school and you can tell us all about it.

Have a super weekend! Waveney Class Team