

Dear Parents and Carers,

Weekly Learning Letter Week 4

Congratulations to Erika and Mabel who received our Star of the Week certificate!

Congratulations to Elsie-Mae who received our Value certificate this week!

Phonics

With Mrs Hay, the children have revisited or, ur, er, ow with a particular emphasis on composing our own sentences with words containing these letters and sounds.

With Mrs Maguire, the children have revisited Phase 3 sounds y z zz and we are focusing on hearing these sounds in words and beginning to read them in words. They also revisited the tricky word: he.

Maths

In maths we consolidated key concepts that we have been learning so far this half term. We have also enjoyed singing number songs to support counting and learning number bonds to 10.

Topic

As dinosaur detectives, we have looked at how fossils were made. We read about the story of Mary Anning and how she was the first person to discovered the skeleton of a marine reptile called ichthyosaurs. Next week we are hoping to make our own salt dough fossils!

Home Learning Challenge

Mrs Hay Phonics Group – To write words that have OR UR ER OW in them. E.g fork, turn, farmer, cow

Mrs Maguire Phonics Group - To write the sounds Y Z ZZ and practise reading Phase 2 tricky words: I no go to the into

Please continue to encourage your child to hold their pencil correctly as they do so.

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