

Dear Parents and Carers,

Weekly Learning Letter Week 3

Congratulations to Ralph and Finneas who received our Star of the Week certificate!

Congratulations to Jonah who received our Value certificate this week!

Phonics

In phonics we have begun learning Phase 3 sounds. We have learnt j v w x and we are becoming confident to read words containing these sounds.

Maths

Through number games, we have been counting, recognising numerals and subitising arrangements of up to five objects (saying how many without needing to count). By singing 5 little speckled frogs and exploring dominoes, we have spotted numbers within numbers such as different ways to make 4 and 5. "3 and one makes 4."

Topic – Amazing Animals / Nativity



Through stories, we have found out about Africa and the amazing animals that live there. We have learned where the continent of Africa is and what the weather is like. We have discovered many different landscapes including the desert, rainforest and savannah. We are going to continue exploring places in Africa and the animals that live there!

Nativity updates – Ladybirds will be STARS and will join Butterflies and Fireflies for parts of the Nativity. We have now begun putting the Nativity together and we can inform you what parts Ladybirds will be in. Ladybirds will be part of some group songs and will perform their own song on stage for you to enjoy. Ladybirds are doing amazing and are joining in really well!

Nativity costumes – A gentle reminder that all costumes need to be in a named bag by Thursday 27th November 2025 please. If you are unable to provide a costume, please let us know ASAP so we can source one for you.

If you have not seen the nativity costume letters – please check your child's bag, they should be in there!

Home Learning Challenge

Please practice writing the letters j v w x and complete the tasks on our sing it, say it, sort it sheets. Ask your child to practice writing the tricky words: no go the to l into using their book marks.

Have a lovely weekend

Mr Matthew Taylor

Teacher

