

Message from Early Years

What a super week we have had in Early Years. We have been continuing to read the story 'The Gruffalo' and have completed some exciting activities such as exploring the oats, making a finger paint Autumn tree, exploring woodland animals, writing lists, matching numeral to quantity, reading and writing simple words, writing initial sounds for Autumn objects, practicing letter formation in corn flour and completing puzzles.

During maths this week, we have been exploring numbers 1-6 by practicing counting the correct amount of objects as well as writing the numbers. In Literacy this week we have been retelling the story 'The Gruffalo; using a story map. We put actions to the words to help us when retelling the story. We have also been labelling the characters from the story.

In theme this week, we have been continuing to learn all about Autumn. We talked about the animals we might see in Autumn and carefully made an Autumn animals using clay.

Forest Sessions (Weekly)

Please could we ask that you bring your child into school in their Forest clothes with their school clothes in a spare bag.

Our theme after half term

What happens when I fall asleep?

We will be learning about our routines and what animals come out at night time. We will be exploring space and imagining what it would be like to meet an alien.

tidy up time.

To kick start our theme we would like your child to come **dressed as an Alien on Tuesday 5**th **November.** The children will be taking part in lots of fun learning activities throughout the day.

Dates for your diary

Friday 18th October Quiz Night 8-10pm Teams of up to 6, £10 per team.

Wednesday 23rd October 10-12 noon. Understanding behaviour in children and young people workshop.

Spooky Disco Wednesday 23rd October 5-6pm £2.50 payable on the door – letters coming home soon.

Stay and play session on Thursday 24th October 9.15am-10.15am. Please report to the main office to sign in. Following our policy, we kindly ask that you **don't** use your mobile phone during the session.

Thank you for your continued support ©