

Wrens Newsletter - Week Beginning 21/11/2016

This week we have been reading stories about Percy the Park Keeper and we will be continuing with this theme into next week. We have been writing speech bubbles based on what the characters might have said in the story. We have also been using the story as a stimulus for number stories. This week we have working on the language of addition and subtraction and encouraging the children to have a go at creating their own number stories.

In phonics we have learnt 2 new tricky words, **he** and **she**. We have continued to work on letter formation and blending sounds to read words. If your child now has a reading book please continue to encourage the blending of sounds to read and give your child lots of praise and encouragement!

Next week we will be having Christmas art day and the children will be making some fantastic decorations which will be displayed in school before they find their way home to you in time for Christmas!

Next week we will be talking about animals that adapt and migrate for the winter and we would like to make some bird feeders. Please could you send your child in with an empty yogurt pot ready to use to make a bird feeder? We are planning to do this activity on Friday 2nd December.

As we head towards the Christmas season we are making a plea!

We would like to set up a Christmas grotto role play area and would really appreciate any donations of:

wrapping paper, cellotape, cards, gift labels, ribbons etc.

Value range paper is fine as the children really love wrapping things up, writing cards and labels - so any little helps! Thank You

This Week's Home Learning Challenge: Keep going with our songs!

More songs will appear in the book bag! The children are all doing so well so please support them by encouraging them at home. The children also had a letter about costumes in their book bag on Wednesday.