

In Reception this week...



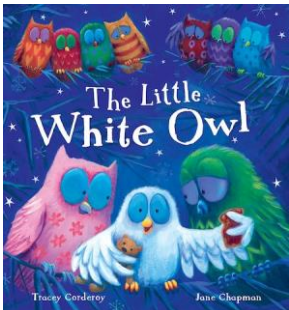
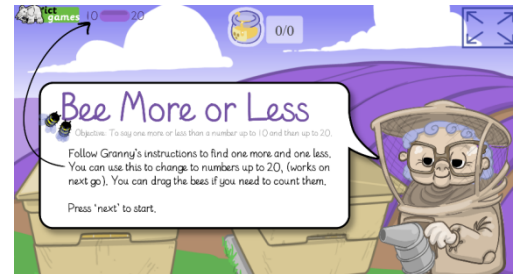
Focus of the Week

We have continued to enjoy the story *The Hospital Dog*. We have been thinking about words to describe the main character Dot. The children shared that Dot made many of the children that were poorly in hospital feel better because she made them smile. This week, we have made get well cards designed and written by the children. These have been sent to The Queen Elizabeth Hospital in Birmingham and are going to be given to patients. We are so proud of the children's thoughtful and caring ideas.



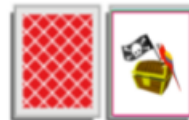
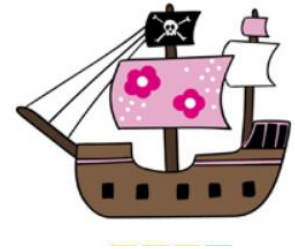
In Maths, we have been working on 1 more and 1 less. Here is a link to one of the games we have been playing.

<https://www.ictgames.com/mobilePage/beeMoreOrLess/>



This Wednesday afternoon, we were learning all about owls. We learnt some new facts and words such as owlet and nocturnal. We also read the story *The Little White Owl*. We had a creative afternoon and designed and made our own beautiful colourful owls.

Our DQ topic is continuing to go well and if your child hasn't told you we have had another recorded message from Pirate Pete! This week we have been learning all about Pirate ships. We have learnt lots of new words and can label a ship. For homework this week, please find another activity on Purple Mash; it's some Pirate fun!



Pirate Pairs

Can you find the matching pirates?

If your child is confident with the red words in their brown envelope, they may have come home with some new words taken from our red word list. These are words the children have to learn by sight. Well done for all your hard work in learning these.

Many thanks for your ongoing support.

Wishing you all a lovely weekend.

The Reception Team