

This week in Reception

January 4th – 7th 2022

HAPPY NEW YEAR TO US ALL!!!



This week we have learned the Phase 3 consonant digraph sounds ch and sh. It is now really important that children use **letter names** to describe the letters in these digraphs, so we have also worked on this. The children are continuing to develop their sight vocabulary of tricky words and have learned to read 'we'.



Maths Mastery has continued to challenge the children's knowledge and understanding of smaller numbers, and has now included number 5. It is quite amazing for us to see how deep their understanding goes, being able to describe how they know there are 5 objects, even when it is harder to subitise quantities that are more than 4.



Other Areas of Learning

We enjoyed hearing the children's Holiday News! Many of them spoke clearly and fluently to tell us what they had been doing and the presents they got from Santa!

This week we have introduced our new topic – "Will You Read Me a Story?" The children have thought about the stories they already know, including fairy tales, which they have been able to talk about in some detail.

Mr. Taylor came to our assembly this week to read a story by his favourite author and illustrator, Oliver Jeffers. The story was called "Up and Down".

Please look at this week's blog to see what we have been doing.