



Year R Learning Journey

Week beginning: 23rd April 2019



After the holidays our topic will be:

Julia Donaldson

In Writing Rally we will be writing a character description of the Gruffalo. We will be thinking of lots of WOW words to describe him and will then be using our non-negotiables (capital letters, full stops, sounds, finger spaces and best handwriting)

to write sentences to describe him.

In Special Jobs we will be looking closely at our living eggs. Before the holidays we learnt about their life cycle, after writing some brilliant information about this, we will now get to see it happen in real life!

In maths we will be learning about estimating. We will have class challenges to make sensible guesses and will then be recording it. After that we will use our careful counting to check our estimate and say if we were close.

Please remember:

We come back to school on Tuesday 23rd April.

Please make sure you bring back your slip to ensure your child can hold the chicks.

Words of this week:

down have just

Every Child a Talker

Vocabulary of the week:



Sounds of this week:

air ear

Home Challenge

Can you draw, paint or make a collage of your favourite character from a Julia Donaldson book?

Remember to use the library to borrow some of her books.



How you can help at home:

✓ To help learning the story, listen to the story along with your child:

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=s8sUPpPc8Ws>

✓ On your way home from school can your child pick out the shapes around you?

✓ In handwriting we have been learning how to form our letters correctly.

Please help your child to practise their letter formation at home by air writing, tracing, or writing.

a b c d e f
g h i j k l
m n o p q
r s t u v
w x y z