A Great Big Cuddle

Week beginning 25th November 2024

This week in phonics...
We will be learning to read and write words containing the new sounds- ch, sh, th, ng.
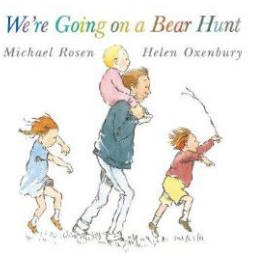
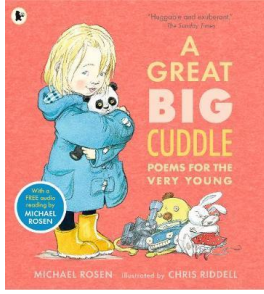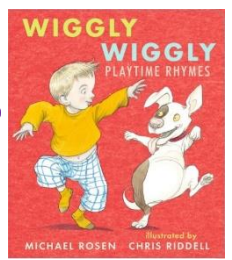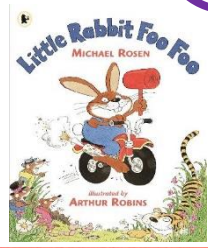We are learning to read 'are' and 'her'.

Why this 'theme'?
We have chosen this theme as it is a wonderful collection of poems with rich language and gives lots of opportunities for discussions, sharing opinions and ideas.

This week in maths...
We will be exploring the composition of numbers to 5.

Skills Focus
Communication and language: Listen to a selection of poems, sharing opinions and explaining ideas.
Personal, social & emotional: Talking about ways to keep clean.
Understanding the World: Looking at changes with seasons Autumn and Winter.

Key Vocab
Communication and language: poems, rhyme
Personal, social & emotional: hygiene, germs, clean, protect
Understanding the World: changes, describe, observation seasons, senses

Michael Rosen
rhyme
repeating words   nursery rhymes
nonsense
author   poem
pattern   tongue twisters   performing
enjoy   poetry
illustrator   favourite
poetry collection
rhyming words
dislikes
likes
why?
because

Did you know...
Not all poems rhyme.

I wonder...
Would you rather have tea with a chimpanzee or have a snack with a Yak? Why?

Things your child can do at home: Share poems and stories with rhyme together, talking about what you all like and dislike about them, tell favourite poems and nursery rhymes, make a list of your favourite poems.

Homework:. Get your grown up to record you performing your favourite nursery rhyme/ poem. Add to Tapestry.

Christmas Performances
The dates for our Christmas Performance are:
Tuesday 17th December at 9.30am
Tuesday 17th December at 2.00pm

Look out over the next week or so for more information about our Christmas performance and how to get tickets...

WONDERLAND