



Welcome back Wren Class!

The children had no problems settling back into the school routine this week.

Well done Wrens!

During our Phonics lessons this week, we have revised some of the sounds that we learnt during the last few weeks of the Autumn Term. The children have played games and hunted for pictures and words. We are really focusing now on children being able to spot the sounds that they see in written words especially di-graphs and tri-graphs. We find that although children know the sounds that they have learnt in isolation they do find it tricky to see these sounds in written words. If you are reading a story together see if you can spot any di-graphs in the text.

On Wednesday the children drew a picture and wrote about either their favourite Christmas present or activity that they did over the school holidays. All the children had a go at writing. We were so proud of them.

During our handwriting lessons, we have been learning the letter name and how to write capital letters. We are also re-visiting how to write each lower case letter using correct letter formation. This can also be practised at home using the letter formation sheet in the reading pack.

We have been completing a maths assessment this week to see what we need to revise in our Maths lessons. This week we revised number bonds to five and also talked about activities that we complete during a typical day and what time we would do these activities.

Next week we will be back to our normal routine with Forest School on Monday morning (wrap up warm!), PE on Tuesday morning (Gymnastics) and launching our new topic for the term 'Out of This World'. There will be a 'topic map' uploaded shortly onto our class page for you to look at. On Friday the children will be going on pretend aeroplane with Year 1 to the Arctic! Please could the children bring hats, scarves and gloves on this day to dress up ready for their trip.

Many thanks,

Wren Class Team.