

# Reception Lilies Update: Week 5

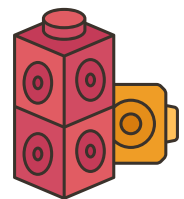
This week in class we have been doing lots of activities relating to the story 'The Leaf Thief'. The children have been learning about Autumn and what changes we see to the world around us during this time. We have looked at the difference between deciduous and coniferous trees and we have talked about which animals start to get ready for hibernation in the Autumn.



This week in 'Drawing Club' we looked at the character of the squirrel, the setting of the woods and thought imaginatively about what else could have been a 'leaf thief' in the forest.

This week in maths we thought about the size of different leaves and ordered leaves from smallest to largest. We used our counting skills to count Autumn objects and we used the numberblocks to help us with our number recognition.

Maths



Phonics



This week we have learnt the sounds:  
k - down the kangaroos body, tail and legs  
u - down and under, to the top and into the puddle  
b - down to the heel, around the toe

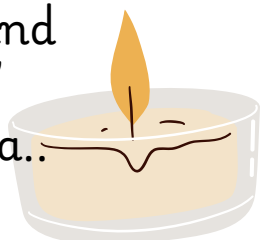


We will add the links to the videos to help with letter formation to Teams if you would like to practise with your child at home.

## RE in Lilies Class this week..

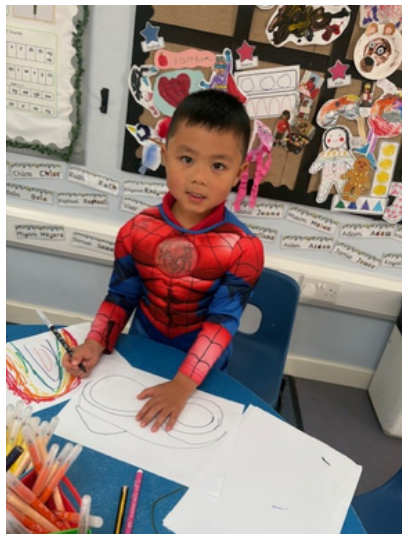


This week in RE the children have been learning about Jesus' love for them. They have learnt that God made them and loves them just as they are. They have been learning a song called 'My God loves me', made mirrors, printed hearts and they have also made 'love' potions in the outside area..





# This week in Lilies Class....



Autumn painting  
Autumn playdough  
Outdoor obstacles





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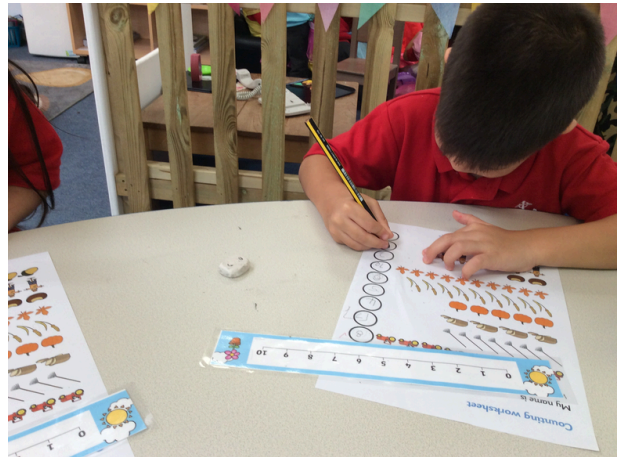
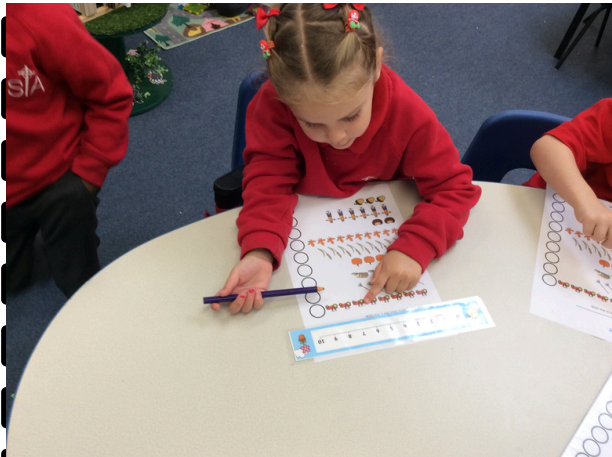
Reading Autumn books  
Busy fingers activities  
Creative activities

Happy  
Birthday  
Adrian





# This week in Lilies Class...



Reception learning how to play duck, duck, goose  
Puzzles

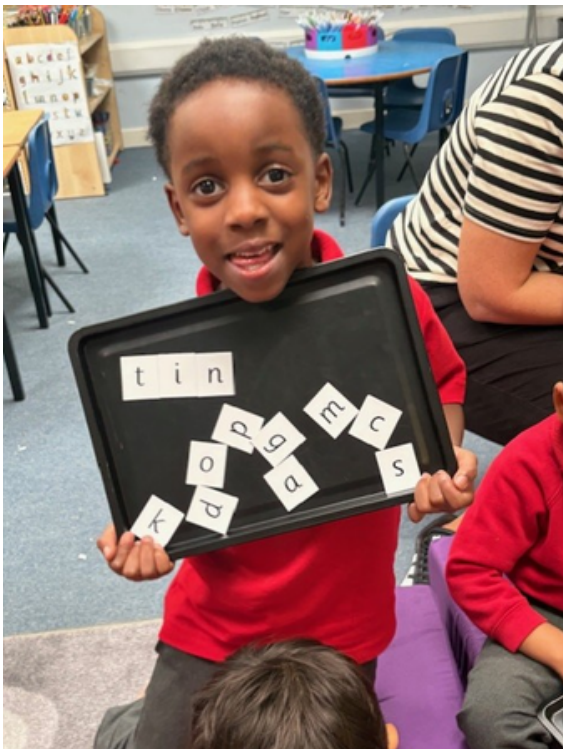
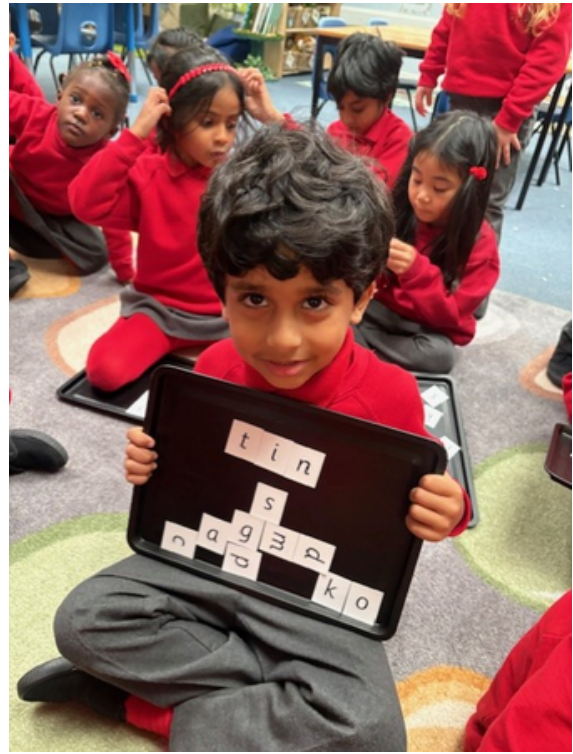


Maths work using number lines  
Lots of Autumn fun





## This week in Lilies Class...



The children have now learnt the first 14 phonic sounds:

m, a, s, d, t, i, n, p, g,  
o, c, k, u and b.

We have started to practise segmenting and blending sounds in words using the sounds we have learnt so far. The children have shown they can sound out words such as

cat, mat, tin, got, sat, sit, dog



# STAR OF THE WEEK

Each week we will choose someone who has been working hard in class to be our 'Star of the Week'. This is something that happens throughout the school at assemblies on a Friday. We will make sure that each child has a chance to be 'Star of the Week' throughout their time in Reception.



**A HUGE WELL DONE THIS  
WEEK GOES TO**

*Raphael*



# Optional Homework

Some of the children are finding it tricky to form the numbers to 10. We will be working on this lots in class but it would be fantastic if the children were practising at home too. Thank you.

## Number Formation Activity

Can you trace the numbers?

0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0

1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1

2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2

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### Dates for your diary

**Tues 14th Oct-** Grandparents/ Senior Citizen Afternoon of entertainment - 1.45pm - 3.30pm. Please see newsletter above for more details.

**Weds 15th Oct-** Reception classes assembly for parents/carers 9.15am

**Weds 22nd Oct-** Tempest photography to take individual photographs of children

**Fri 24th Oct-** School finishes at 3.30pm for half term break.