

Week 4 – 27.1.25 – 31.1.25

Each week you will get an over view of the class learning and will be set some home tasks too. Home school communication books should be returned to school on a **Wednesday**.

Forest school on Wednesdays. PE is on Thursdays.

Please find below the summary of our week in school.	
Our learning...	This week we have been focusing on Chinese New Year. We watched a cbeebies video showing us how a family prepared for the new year celebration. As it's the year of the snake, we enjoyed trying to make a paper chain snake. In the classroom we had; noodles to explore, red (lucky colour) playdough and made good luck cards / messages. On Wednesday, we had an alternative Chinese snack and had fun with Boogie Bounce. At forest school, we took down some paintbrushes and made mud paint! We made a den using tarpaulin. Some of the children were feeling brave and climbed (with help) up a tree. We wrote all about the people who help us how they help, we were amazing using our phonics to sound out new words.
Phonics	We have been enjoying our letter song and writing words and captions. We read Tiger's Fish.
Maths	We looked at capacity; filling different containers up and talking about them being empty /full. We then moved onto exploring 6,7 & 8. We have been using counters and tens frames to represent these numbers. We listened to "Six Dinner Sid" a cat who has six different dinners.
Home learning	We are sending home phoneme cards you can cut and practise at home. https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=nBFnAcXHOuQ is a link to a video which shows how to say all the sounds. Remember to read your home reading books and log into Oxford Owl to read the books we share in school. Reading books Please can you return the home reading books with the yellow book every week so we can change them. Thank you
Next week	Monday – we have a dentist coming to talk to us. Friday – NSPCC numer day – Please come dressed up as a number or have numbers on your clothes and we are going to be building coin towers, please send in any spare coins to help us build the tallest tower! All money rased will go to the NSPCC.



Please remember to visit the school website for the photos. [Reception class page](#)

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