

Our Nursery Newsletter



Dear Parents / Guardians,

10th May 2019

We have planted strawberry plants which grew very successfully when we planted some last year. Fingers crossed we will have some strawberries to eat before we finish for the summer holidays. We have talked about how we need to look after them and we are hoping for some sunshine over the weekend after a very rainy week.

Having our new shelter now in place means the children are still able to access the outdoors even when the rain is really heavy as we can put the shutters down. A big thank you to the governors for supporting this project which cost a lot of money.

Our big book this week was "Marmaduke plays I Spy". We talked about it not being a story book that you have to read from beginning to end for it to make sense but it is an information book so we can dip into it anywhere we like. We looked at the "contents" page first to decide which pages we would like to look at. We also looked at the "index" at the back of the book. By introducing all of these words to the children will help them in later years. The children are doing well in hearing the first letter sounds (phonemes) in words so a simple game of I spy at home will support this. A game to play at home to support **blending** in phonics is another version of **I spy**. Place on the floor a selection of objects that can be sounded out, e.g. hat, cup, mug, bat, fork, doll, cap, sock,..... Then **I spy with my little eye a h-a-t hat** and so on. The children are really coming on in this skill and it will help when they begin formal reading.

To support recognition of number, keep a look out when you are out and about and draw your child's attention to numbers around them, on buses, car registration plates etc. Which is the highest/lowest number you have seen on your way home from school or on the way to the park? What numbers can you see when in the supermarket? If your child is 3 or 4 how many times can they see this number? If your child is 3, how many times can they spot this number, or if they are 4, can they find it?

This week we have had a new child join the afternoon session and next week there will be a new child joining the morning session, (both of whom will be in nursery again next year). I'm sure the children will be very welcoming yet give the new children space and time to settle in to our nursery.

Next week we have a library visit planned using the school mini bus. The aim of which will be for the children to join Old Swan library if they are not already members.

Nursery Staff

亲爱的家长/监护人，2019年5月10日

去年种植了一些草莓植物，种植非常成功。在我们结束暑假之前，手指交叉，我们将吃一些草莓。我们已经谈到了我们需要如何照顾它们，我们希望在一个月非常下雨的一周后的周末有一些阳光。

现在我们的新避难所就位意味着即使在下雨的时候，孩子仍然可以进入户外，因为我们可以放下百叶窗。非常感谢州长们为这个项目提供支持，这个项目花了很多钱。

本周我们的大书是“Marmaduke扮演我间谍”。我们谈到它不是一本故事书，你必须从头到尾阅读它才有意义，但它是一本信息书，所以我们可以随心所欲地阅读它。我们首先查看“内容”页面，以决定我们想要查看哪些页面。我们还查看了本书后面的“索引”。通过向孩子们介绍所有这些词语，它将在以后的岁月中帮助他们。孩子们在听到第一个字母的声音（音素）方面做得很好，所以我在家里偷窥的简单游戏将支持这一点。在家里玩一个支持拼音混合的游戏是我间谍的另一个版本。在地板上放置一些可以敲出的物体，例如：帽子，杯子，马克杯，蝙蝠，叉子，娃娃，帽子，袜子，.....然后我用我的小眼睛窥探一个帽子，等等。孩子们真的开始学习这项技能，当他们开始正式阅读时会有所帮助。

为了支持识别号码，请在外出时留意，并引起孩子对周围数字，公共汽车，汽车登记牌等的注意。这是你在回家的路上看到的最高/最低号码还是去公园的路上？在超市里你能看到多少号码？如果您的孩子3或4岁，他们可以看到这个数字多少次？

本周我们有一个新的孩子参加下午的会议，下周将有一个新的孩子参加上午的会议，他们两个明年将再次进入托儿所。我相信孩子们会非常热情，同时也会让新生儿有时间和时间来我们的托儿所。

下周我们将使用学校迷你巴士计划参观图书馆。其目的是让孩子们加入老天鹅图书馆

托儿所

