



OWL BABIES!

Linking with our science topic on Light and Dark, the children have really enjoyed learning about owls through fiction and non-fiction lessons. They have retold 'Owl Babies' in our small world area and made clay owls.

This week, we have been applying our independent writing skills. Please let your child write what sounds they can hear at this stage in their phonics learning. We understand that this may not be spelt correctly, but it will give them a big sense of achievement to represent words in writing. It is tempting to correct their spelling but we prefer to see exactly what they are capable of writing on their own.

Our Busy Busy Bethlehem rehearsals are in full swing and we are looking forward to performing it to you next Wednesday and Thursday. Our Nativity small world and roleplay areas have been very popular! The children have been interested in advent and the Christmas Story.



NEXT WEEK

We will continue our Nativity rehearsals, with our dress rehearsal on Tuesday! Our learning will focus on the Christian celebration of Christmas for our RE unit on Special Times.

HOMEWORK

Please complete phonics homework on Seesaw. Thank you for submitting each week.

Please focus on letter formation this week in fun ways: perhaps in flour with your finger, in paint or felt tips. Practise writing the letters covered so far in your child's phonics homework. There is a pencil grip and handwriting pattern reference on the Sherwood EYFS website page under Motor Skills. Classes – Foundation – Motor skills.
<https://www.sherwood.lancs.sch.uk/page/>

REMINDERS

Busy Busy Bethlehem – extra tickets available. We have now issued tickets to parents. We have more tickets left for both the Wednesday and Thursday performance. If you would like more tickets (maximum of two extra), please email us on the EYFS email to make a request. Thank you.

Christmas Party on Wednesday 20th December

Our children all receive vegetarian party food as part of their school meal.

STARS OF THE WEEK

Hakan Hussain Khadijah Zumla

Imaan Shaikh Miyah Humphrey

Well done!