



Dear Parents and Carers,

Phonics - This week we will be learning the digraph 'ss' and we will be assessing the children's phonic knowledge on the sounds taught so far this term. We will also be introducing the harder to read and spell word: pull.

Literacy - In Literacy this week we will be sharing the text 'The Little Red Hen'. We will be helping Little Red Hen to write a shopping list for bread ingredients. We will then use this knowledge to write our own shopping lists for Mrs Wallace to buy ingredients to make soup.

Music We will be learning some different Harvest and Autumn themed songs.

Maths - We will be learning how to compare groups of objects and using keywords such as more than and fewer than. EG 5 acorns is more than 3 acorns.

PSED This week we will continue to think about how we treat others kindly. This can be done by sharing toys or even donating food to food banks to share with others. We will also be sharing our bread and soup that we have made with our grown ups on Friday 17th October.

Art - We will be looking at the artwork of Japanese artist Yayoi Kusama. We will complete our own artwork inspired by her dotty style.

If you are able to send in donations of any of the following to help us with the children's learning, we would be very grateful:

Small pumpkins, kitchen roll tubes, orange food colouring

Thank you in advance 😊

Diary Dates

Monday 13th October - Harvest collection

Tuesday 14th October - Harvest collection and assembly

Friday 17th October - PM - Parents invited in to share soup and bread with the children. We look forward to seeing you to celebrate the children's learning. We would appreciate if you could arrange childcare for siblings.

Timings will be as follows:

Cygnets 1:30-1:55pm

Ducklings 2:00-2:25pm

Goslings 2:30-2:55pm

Thank you,

The Reception Team 😊