

'The Future we Create Everyday'

Fairy and Elberry Cove Newsletter

Friday 29th September 2022



HOME LEARNING

If your child is in reception: they will have brought home a red phonics sound book this week to share and celebrate their learning with you. Please look at the sounds in the book with your child and help them share the sounds they know.

If your child is in nursery: can you challenge your child to **build the tallest tower they can in 10 seconds**. Can they build a tall tower without knocking it over accidentally?

Depending on your blocks, you might want to extend the time to 20 seconds or even a minute. Make a decision based on their ability.

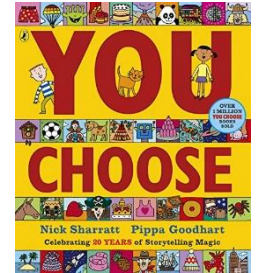
It is a great chance to **introduce words, like tall, short, tower, building, fall**. You can also add more complex words, which will help develop their maths language.

Try introducing words like longer, shorter, taller, longest, tallest, shortest and concepts of first and last.

Most importantly – have fun!

Dear Parents & Carers

Our book this week has been 'You Choose' By Nick Sharratt and Pippa Goodhart. Imagine you could go anywhere, with anyone and do anything. Where would you live? Where would you sleep? Who would be your friends? What games would you play? Go on . . . You choose!



In RE this week, we have started to think about 'belonging' and being part of our school family. To aid our discussions we have shared our baby photos in class and thought about how we belong to a family. The children really enjoyed sharing their baby photos and playing 'guess who' before finding out who the baby really was. Next week we will be thinking more about our families and creating our own family tree.

This week Fred the Frog has continued to challenge us by saying words in sounds for us to blend back together – he is a very cheeky frog! We have used magnetic letters to make the words Fred has given us and continued to practice our letter writing, practicing our perfect pencil grip.

This week, we have learnt the sounds /p/ /g/ /o/ and /c/. The children are getting super speedy at reading the sounds we have learnt so far!

We value outdoor learning and spend quite a lot of our day in our outside classroom. Could you please ensure the children come to school with a coat suitable for the weather.

Have a wonderful weekend.

Thank you

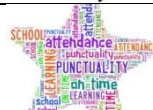
Mrs Edwards and Miss Grant

Our Vision & Values

This week we have continued our theme of exploring the value of generosity. We are thankful for the generosity of our families in raising sponsorship.

And do not forget to do good and to share with others
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Star of the Week



Target attendance 98%

This week we celebrate **Samuel**
For showing real determination when completing his learning challenges!

This week's attendance is 88.3%
Thank you for your continued support in helping us to reach our target