



14th November 2023

For our topic '**Traditional Tales**' we

- read stories linked to the tale of Little Red Riding Hood. These included '*A wolf at the Door*' by Nick Ward and '*Who's at the Door?*' by Jonathan Allen
- have sequenced and retold the story of Little Red Riding Hood
- built dens for the Big Bad Wolf
- started to make our diva's for Diwali
- enjoyed making firework pictures with different materials including salt, paint and chalk
- made firework toast
- enjoyed movie night with popcorn and hotdogs

The highlight of our week was grandparents' afternoon. It was so wonderful to see so many grandparents. The children were thrilled to show them around their classroom, play games and complete activities together and to enjoy a cup of tea and a biscuit!

For **phonics**, the children have been put into three groups. A letter highlighting the group they are in is being sent home this week. The letter also details what the children are learning.

Mrs. Dawson is teaching group 1A, Mrs. Blackford is teaching group 1B and Mrs. Cummings is teaching group 1C.

Below are two links that will help you to support your child learning phonics at home and how we teach phonics in school. As always if you do have any questions please speak with your child's class teacher.

How to say the sound - <https://schools.ruthmiskin.com/training/view/cp1Fqpua/oKKPj8aW>

Sound Blending - <https://schools.ruthmiskin.com/training/view/3Rbz6jPw/EztM16Z3>

In **maths**, the children learnt about finding one less than a given number within 5 using concrete objects and pictures to help them. They role-played first, then, now stories to explore one less.

Kind regards

Mrs. Blackford and Mrs. Dawson

Firework toast



Firework paintings using chalk, paint and salt



Building a den for the big bad wolf



Movie night



Remembrance silence



Grandparents' afternoon

