



Little Bells Newsletter

Friday 24th September

This week our learning has been focused on the story, *The Rainbow Fish*, we have shared the story, talked about feelings and emotions. The children have made their own rainbow fish using paint and sequins, the fish look super sparkly and it is to symbol in Little Bells we may all be different but we all swim together. We have been reminding the children that we need to have kind hands and kind feet in class.

In PE we are continuing with our yoga and listening skills. Welly Walk Wednesday this week was linked to Autumn we looked for signs of autumn. Then the children looked at pumpkins we are growing in school and hopefully reception will help to dig them up.

In maths we have been practicing number formation for the numeral 2. It is a bit tricky so any practice at home would help. The children have been completing different puzzles over the week as well and playing dominoes looking at the patterns to represent each number.

This week in guided read we have shared the story, *'Tiger has a Tantrum'*. It is a story about a tiger being angry. We have talked about breathing exercises we can do if we feel angry, how it might make our tummy feel when we are angry and the importance of telling somebody. The children shared stories about times when we may have felt angry. These included things like; when someone takes their toy, if someone snatches, if someone won't let them play with them and when others are unkind.

In phonics the children have been playing lots of sound games and we have been listening to rhyming stories. The children are practicing our carpet rules, good sitting and listening. We only keep the children on the carpet for a short length of time and this will build up over the year.

Have a lovely weekend,

Mrs Drugan