A Look at our Learning

3rd March 2023



Oak Class

Incy Wincy Spider

This week we have been involved in the whole school project. On Monday we joined the whole-school assembly and Mrs Heeley had received a box of books. It turned out these books were all the class teachers favourite books. Miss Russell's was in there 'The Classic Book of Nursery Rhymes." When we took the book back to our class, the ribbon was on her favourite nursery rhyme, Incy Wincy Spider.

We have been learning the nursery rhyme Incy Wincy Spider and learning all about spiders! The children have learnt some fantastic facts. They have made spider biscuits, spider paper plates using a hole-punch to secure the pipe-cleaner legs and made their very own spider from air dry clay, googly eyes and pipe cleaners. They had to count our the right number of legs and eyes really carefully.

On dress up day for world book day, Oak class joined in with the whole-school fancy dress parade and then performed Incy Wincy Spider complete with actions to the whole of the school—they were fantastic!



We would really appreciate it if children came to school already dressed and ready for Forest School on a Thursday. This means we can get our forest school sessions started earlier and ensure we do all the activities planned. If your child is not dressed appropriately (warm clothing, boots or muddy shoes etc), they will not be able to take part in Forest School.

Please name all items of clothing from hats to boots, initials are fine if the label is small. It really does help as we have up to 36 children which is a lot of items!

This week was a revision week—we will begin our key sound, colour and shape of the week next week.

Our Nursery Rhyme this week was Incy Wincy Spider

Incy Wincy Spider climbed up the water spout.

Down came the rain and washed the spider out.

Out came the sunshine and dried up all the rain.

Then Incy Wincy Spider climbed up the spout again.



We learnt the word **determined** from one of our books 'Walter's Wonderful Web' we talked about what determined means—see if your child can tell you.

We looked at the shapes Wilber made with his web naming circle, triangle, oblong, square and diamond.

How can you support your child's learning at home?

- **See if your child can recall some of the facts they have learnt about spiders:**

Spiders have 8 legs

Spider have 8 eyes, some have 6

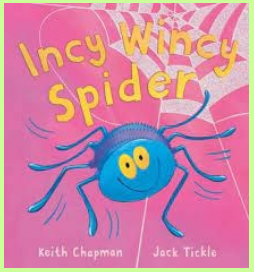
Some spiders (not all!) make spider webs using their silk.

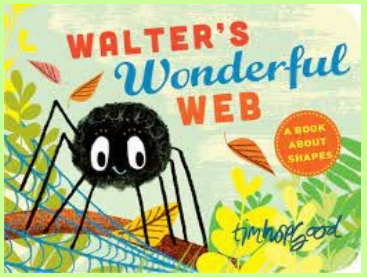
Spider webs catch insects for them to eat

Some spiders camouflage, this means their colour matches the home they live in so that other things don't try and eat them!

- **Go on a spider hunt around the garden or home. How many can you find? Are they all the same size?**

Our Books this week have been…







Watch them online with your child