

What we are learning about:

This week we are re-embarking on Drawing Club!

Our book this week is 'Dinosaur's don't draw!' by Elli Woollard.

Our ambitious vocabulary words this week are:
whispering, magical, gnaw, frightening, charred, bittersweet, prowl, fearsome.

In drawing club we will be creating our own dinosaurs, designing magical caves, creating something magical to draw with and thinking of ways to scare a T-Rex!

Across provision we will be looking at all things dinosaur, following steps to draw a dinosaur, making dinosaur feet, and dinosaur masks in our creative area.

Having a dino dig to see how many dinosaur bones we can collect and counting these on ten frames, as well measuring different dinosaurs to see who is the tallest, shortest, longest and shortest!

We will be trying to save dinosaurs who are trapped, role play the story and look for dinosaurs in our safari role play area!

We are also continuing specific handwriting lessons this week - focusing on the curly caterpillar letter family!

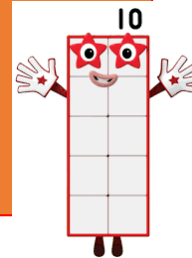
We are continuing to focus on 'a' - we will send more information on this on seesaw over the week.

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Maths

This week we thinking about number 10.

We will look at what makes number 10, and how we can use this in different ways, including part part whole models, addition, subtraction, where it is on a number line and how to form it to record!



Phonics

All children will continue in their new RWI groups.

We will change books on TUESDAY.



At home you could:

Practice red word keyrings and new RWI books.

Look at a map/globe and find where we live, talking about which part of the world is water and what is land, and where we are in relation to India.

Share any dinosaur facts you might know/find out about dinosaurs together.

Encourage children to dress themselves and pick out what they need for the weather - talk about why we need coats/hats/scarves etc - we are particularly practising zipping our coats up by ourselves.

Look at letter formation videos (coming on seesaw in the week) and practice writing careful 'a's at home, remembering our crocodile snap pencil grip!

Reminders:

Children should only have water in their water bottles.

Please ensure uniform is labelled so it makes its way back to you if misplaced!