

Dear Parents,

This week's work is around the four seasons. The story will be uploaded to Tapestry and YouTube along with other videos throughout the week.

If you are able you may want to print this off and stick the learning in the children's book, but that is not necessary. If you do not have a printer, look at the guidance slip and talk to you child about the activity then complete it on a page in the book.

The children in reception are all at different stages in their development, at this time it is really difficult for us to differentiate their learning. Some children may only hear a few sounds in the words they write (their work won't be perfect.) It is vital that you encourage them and celebrate any writing they do, being dissatisfied will only lead to frustration and they will learn to hate writing. If your child's sentence is too long (6+ words) suggest a shorter version. Some children may need more support than others this might be: remembering the sentence, reminding them about finger spaces, sounding out words together, looking at the phonics mat and tricky word mat. Showing them where to start writing, sitting letters on the lines.

Our number one rule in reception is no copying, you must allow them to listen and write. You can write tricky words for them to copy. If you are getting frustrated or your child cannot concentrate I would suggest a break such as a wake and shake on YouTube or a walk outside in the fresh air.

This literacy work should take no more than 15- 20 min a day. There is  a challenge for those who would like some extra work but it's not compulsory.

Wow Write Monday- IALT: draw a treasure map.

1. Make your paper look old like a treasure map.



2. Draw features on your map such as mountains, rivers, forests.

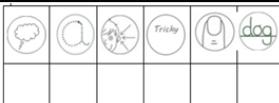


3. Label you features using your phonics.

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4. Put an x where your treasure is.



Tick it if you can do it.

Wow Write Tuesday- IALT: write a message in bottle.

1. draw a picture of a bottle.



2. Think about what you want to write.

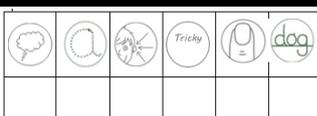


3. Use your sounds to write your message.

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Remember: listen to what you can hear it doesn't need to be spelled correctly you are learning!



Tick it if you can do it.



Write more than one message.

Wow Write Wednesday- IALT: write a pirate joke.

1. Think of words that start with the 'ar' sound:

arctic
ark
art
aardvark
arm
army



2. Think of a question that links to that word.

Why did the pirate like to draw?



3. Think of a funny answer using your ar word.

Because he was an aartist!



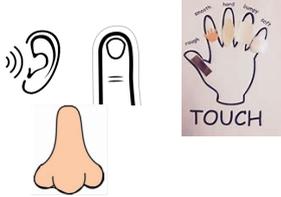
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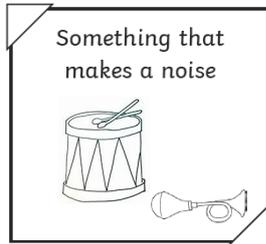
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Wow Write Thursday- IALT: find items for a scavenger hunt.

1. use your senses to find the items on the scavenger hunt.



2. Draw a pictures of what you have found.



3. Label your pictures.

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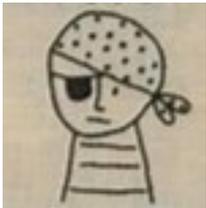


✓ Tick it if you can do it.

🌶️ Write your own scavenger hunt.

Wow Write Friday - IALT: create a wanted poster.

1. Create a pirate character and draw a picture of them.



2. Create a characters name and write it using your phonics.



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3. Write the reward for finding them.



✓ Tick it if you can do it

🌶️ Write a description