



Year R Learning Journey



Week beginning: 1st December 2025

This week our topic is Little Red Riding Hood

We will be learning all about the story of Little Red Riding Hood. In literacy we will be retelling the story of Little Red Riding Hood using actions, masks and puppets.

We will also be learning how to write words from the story using our phonic knowledge.

In Maths we will be looking at zero and comparing numbers 0-5 using the language of 'more,' 'less,' 'fewer than.'

For your information

A final reminder that our nativity performance is fast approaching. Please can we have any remaining costumes in by **Wednesday 3rd December**. We appreciate your help with providing these costumes in order to make our performance a success!

Sounds of the week:

We will be assessing which sounds the children know this week and doing some work on blending sounds together to read words.

Please practise the sounds your child is unfamiliar with.

Words of the week: we are recapping all the words we have learnt previously.

How you can help at home

- ✓ Keep practising with your child daily their sounds and key words. Can they write these?
- ✓ Can your child name any 2D shapes? Challenge: Can they describe what the shape looks like?
- ✓ Encourage your child to retell the story of Little Red Riding Hood.

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=W7dfBMmMeak>

Home Challenge

This week's home challenge is



Draw a map to show Little Red Riding Hood how to get to Grandma's Cottage.



Little Red Riding Hood filled her basket with goodies for her Grandma. She took 6 cakes and 3 biscuits. How many treats did she take altogether? You could draw a picture to help you work it out.

Little Wandle - Letters and Sounds Reception Phonics Home Learning



Phase 2 - Autumn 2 Week 5

Focus - Words with s /s/ added at the ends e.g. hats / sits
Words ending s /z/ (his) and with s /z/ added at the end (bags)

Please support your child to practise and reinforce the phonemes and graphemes we are learning in school. More information and support can be found on the Little Wandle website - <https://www.littlewandlelettersandsounds.org.uk/resources/for-parents/>

Phonemes we will be focusing on this week in school -



We will be reading and writing words. Can you spot segment and blend these words and spot this week's phonemes?

zips

ships

chips

rings

pins

dogs

sings

ducks

We will be reading sentences. Can you spot any tricky words? Can you segment and blend the words and look out for this week's phonemes?

He has pink shells.

His cats get on the bed to nap.

She has six ducks.

His chick has pink wings.

We will be practising tricky words. Can you spot the tricky part of the word?

we

me

be

she

the