



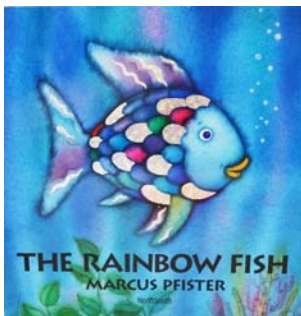
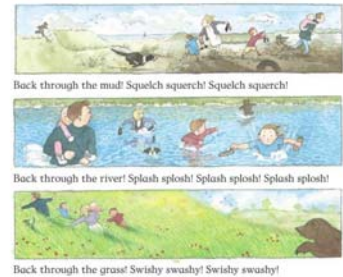
PUTTING THE FUN BACK INTO LEARNING!

Dear Parents,

This month in KG2 we have been very busy, working very hard with our new learning ...

In English, we have finished our 3 week topic on 'We're going on a Bear Hunt'

Ask your child to retell the story and we are sure they will impress you, with their story language and actions. We have been applying our phonics knowledge (new sounds) to our reading and writing.

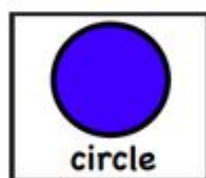


For the next three weeks in English – We are going to be looking at the 'Rainbow Fish' by Marcus Pfister. See if you can look at this book at home. Discuss the main events, characters and the setting. This will help your child in English next week.

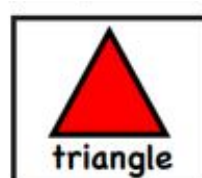
In Maths this week, we have been naming 2D and 3D shapes. We have been learning to sort them and are beginning to describe their properties. At home you could play 'What shape am I?' ...Describe a shape and see if your child can name or draw it.

2D - circle, triangle, square, rectangle, hexagon, pentagon

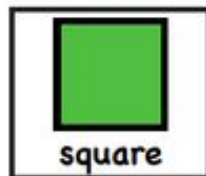
3D – cube, sphere, cuboid, cylinder, cone



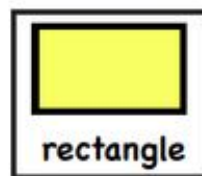
I have 1 side.
My side is curved.
I have no corners.



I have 3 sides.
My sides are straight.
I have 3 corners.



I have 4 sides.
My sides are all the same size.
I have 4 corners.



I have 4 sides.
My opposite sides are equal.
I have 4 corners.

Over the next three weeks in Maths we will be learning about.....

Science

Topic

Websites - Below are some useful websites which you can find and use with your children at home. There are lots of games which you could play together with your child, to consolidate their Maths and English learning.

Phonics/ English

<http://www.phonicsplay.co.uk/> -Click on phase 2 or phase 3 for more challenge

<http://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/ks1/literacy/phonics/play/>

Maths

<http://www.topmarks.co.uk/maths-games/5-7-years/counting>

<http://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/ks1/maths/>

It was great to see so many of you at the parent's evenings this week. We would like to take this opportunity to thank you all for your continued support.

With thanks,

The KG2 team