



**Expected Learning**

<b>Reading</b>	<p>We expect that the children read a minimum of three times a week to an adult or older sibling. Please record this in their planner.</p> <p>Children achieve 3 dojos for reading three times in a week. Your child will continue to bring home their weekly phonics book.</p> <p>Every Friday the children will choose a new library book to take home. Please ensure they have this book ready to swap on a Friday. Spend time, perhaps at bedtime, looking through the book together and talking about the pictures, predicting what might happen next and spotting some tricky words within the text. In addition to this, please practise any flashcards and tricky words that have been sent home.</p>
<b>Literacy</b>	<p>This term we will be learning, by heart, the story ‘Somebody Swallowed Stanley.’ This is a recommended approach to support writing from the Talk for Writing method. A script and story map will be sent home, please spend time helping your child learn the story. Feel free to send videos of your child retelling the story via dojo, they love sharing these with their friends in class.</p>
<b>Mathematics</b>	<p>Spend time discussing numbers to 10 and how these can be separated (partitioned) into different amounts. For example, 4 can be split up into a group of 3 and a group of 1 or two groups of 2. Use everyday objects from around the house to explore this.</p>

**Additional Curriculum Task**

Please choose at least one item from the menu below and bring the home learning into school by **Monday 24th March**. This task can be done with adults. Children can choose more than one if they wish. The more creative the better!

- Create a poster encouraging people to recycle.
- Can you create something using 3-D shapes from recycled materials?
- Retell the story of ‘Somebody Swallowed Stanley’ by Sarah Roberts.
- Draw a picture of a superhero and talk about your hero with a family member.
- Help to recycle in your home by sorting unwanted packaging and putting it in the correct recycling bin.
- Create your own superhero assault course at home and try it out with your family.

**This term our focus books at story time are:**

- Zog – Julia Donaldson
- Hugless Douglas – David Melling
- Ruby’s Worry – Tom Percival
- Puss in Boots – Ladybird picture book
- One Fox - A Counting Book Thriller – Kate Read
- Easter – A non fiction book about the celebration

**If you do have any questions about your child’s learning, please do not hesitate to contact us via Class Dojo.**

