

Dates for your diary.

P.E.- Wednesday

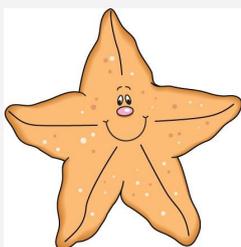
Library- Wednesday

25th October
Diwali Celebrations

22nd and 23rd October
Parents Consultation
Evenings

14th—18th October
Black History Week

**28th October—1st
November**
Half Term Week



Starfish Class

7th - 11th October

What happened in school this week?

This week our topic is,

'Why Do You Love Me So Much'

As part of this topic we have been reading the story 'Happy Birthday Royal Baby!' This story has enabled us to talk about a different type of family, The Royal Family. We have also talked about how we celebrate our own birthdays. In our role play area we were able to have our own party.

The children also got to explore some of the items that we have at birthday parties including balloons, candles, presents and party hats. This was a great talking point with all of the children.

In Maths we looked closely at the numbers 3 and 4 to link with the children's ages. We looked at the value of the numbers and matched amounts to numerals. We then tried to recognise the numbers in different parts of the classroom.



Next Week— We start our new topic,

'Why Do Leaves go Crispy?'

We will be looking at our outdoor environment as the season has changed from summer to autumn. We will be exploring what has happened to the environment and talking about what we observe happening.

Next week we will also be celebrating Black History Week. We will be looking at Usain Bolt. We will be talking to the children about his achievements and why he is famous.

Home learning task

As we start our new topic if you are out and about with your child could you please collect conkers, pine cones, leaves and any other outdoor autumn items.

Number

Can the children practice number counting. Be creative for example when walking up the stairs, counting fingers, books and anything else that the children are interested in.

Also practising number rhymes at home will support your child's number development, for example, '1.2.3.4.5 once I caught a fish alive.'

