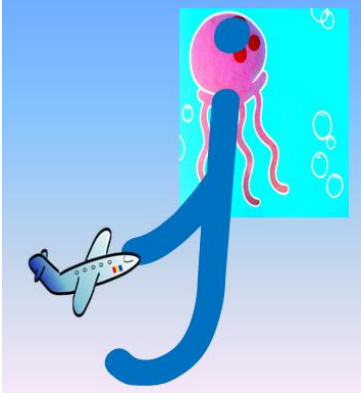
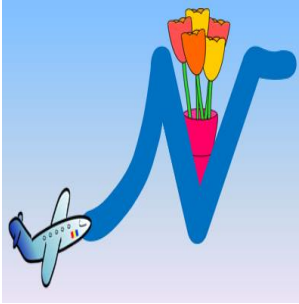
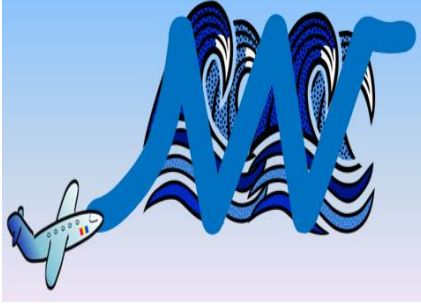



Letter Formation - ck, e, u, r

This week the children have begun learning the first four sounds as part Letters and Sounds phonics. As we teach the children each sound, they are taught what it looks like as well as how to write it. At St John's we teach the children cursive handwriting which involves each letter starting from the line. To help the children remember how to form each letter we have introduced a little saying. You can practise this at home with your child!

 A blue cursive letter 'j' is shown against a light blue background. A pink jellyfish is positioned above the letter, and a small blue airplane is flying along the bottom curve of the letter.	 A blue cursive letter 'n' is shown against a light blue background. A pink vase with three colorful flowers (yellow, orange, and red) is positioned above the letter, and a small blue airplane is flying along the bottom curve of the letter.	 A blue cursive letter 'w' is shown against a light blue background. A small blue airplane is flying along the bottom curve of the letter, and the letter is decorated with blue and white wavy patterns.	 A blue cursive letter 'x' is shown against a light blue background. A small blue airplane is flying along the bottom curve of the letter, and the letter is decorated with a treasure map background featuring a skull and crossbones, an anchor, and a treasure chest.
<i>j</i>	<i>n</i>	<i>w</i>	<i>x</i>
Take off, down the jellyfish, flick and dot him in the eye!	Take off, down the vase, up the vase and off again!	Take off, wow waves, wow waves and off again!	Take off, x marks the spot!

j j j

n n n

w w w

x x x