

Next Week in Nursery
Week Beginning 4th October 2021

What we will be doing in school	How you can help at home
<p style="text-align: center;"><u>Topic - Rhyme Time</u></p> <p>This week we will focus on the rhymes Hey Diddle, Diddle and Twinkle, Twinkle Little Star.</p> <div data-bbox="204 591 632 1155" data-label="Image">An illustration for the rhyme 'Hey Diddle Diddle'. It shows a brown cow jumping over a yellow crescent moon in a blue sky with white clouds. Below the moon, there is an orange cat, a black dog, and a white dish with a spoon. The background is a green field with yellow stars. At the bottom, there is text: 'Hey diddle diddle, the cat and the fiddle. The cow jumped over the moon. The little dog laughed to see such sport and the dish ran away with the spoon.'</div>	<p>Practise these rhymes and other nursery rhymes at home.</p> <div data-bbox="922 577 1289 1093" data-label="Image">An illustration for the rhyme 'Twinkle Twinkle Little Star'. It has a light blue background with white stars. The title 'Twinkle Twinkle Little Star' is written in yellow and blue. Below the title, the rhyme is written in black text: 'Twinkle, twinkle little star, how I wonder what you are. Up above the world so high, like a diamond in the sky. Twinkle, twinkle little star, how I wonder what you are.' There is a yellow star icon and a diamond icon.</div>
<p style="text-align: center;"><u>English</u></p> <p>We will discuss the nursery rhymes we are learning about. We will talk about stars, the moon and space.</p> <p>We will read How To Catch A Star and describe ideas for how we would catch a star.</p> <p>We will make Space Passports for going into space!</p>	<p>Change the words of familiar nursery rhymes to create your own nonsense rhymes. e.g. Twinkle, twinkle chocolate bar How I wish you were a car.</p> <p>Read stories about space, planets, aliens etc. Look at information books about space.</p>

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Maths

We will practise some 2D shapes especially related to our rhymes: star, diamond, circle, crescent moon shape.

We will practise counting.
We will count stars and practise recognising numbers up to 10.



Talk about the shapes you see around you e.g. square window, circle steering wheel.

Encourage your child to count anything and everything in the world around them.

Try singing along to 5 Little Men in a Flying Saucer.

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



Other

We will be thinking about the things we see at night.
We will be looking for stars in the sand and trying to throw star beanbags into buckets.



We will be mixing, pouring and stirring with 'the dish and the spoon'!

Talk about the things you see at night time. Look out at the sky when it is dark, look for the moon, stars. What do you do before you go to bed?



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We will be celebrating World Space Week by playing with toy space rockets, astronauts and making our own Space Station!	
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Reminders:

- Please bring in book bags to school on your child's book change day - either Monday or Wednesday. Please try to use a bag that is big enough to fit in picture books (A4 size and slightly over).

Thank you

Nursery Team ☺