

Dear Parents,

Last month the children thoroughly enjoyed our topic 'Amazing authors', the children have become so enthusiastic over reading books and have all learnt to share stories with their friends and all really enjoy looking at the books together. I think I have learnt 'The Gruffalo' story off by heart as the children still love to hear the story over and over again! It is so nice when going out for walks and the children all sing 'We're going on a bear hunt'. It's even more special when the children are able to finish off the sentences for you!



This month our topic is all about being 'On the farm'. The children are all extremely confident with identifying the farm animals, we have been learning all the names for the baby animals which

hopefully they will remember to share with you! Over the next couple of weeks we will be milking cows with rubber gloves and painting with them, we will be planting seeds and seeing how they get on over the next couple of weeks; we will be talking about harvesting and tasting different kinds of fruits and vegetables.





Links to the curriculum

Physical Development: Health and self-care

With the weather beginning to get hotter we have been encouraging the children to drink more water! We have also been talking to the children about how important it is to drink lots of water! We will soon be planting our seeds and getting the children to water them; if you have any plants at home where the children are able to help with watering them this would also help with helping children to understand why we need water in our bodies. This helps with developing the children's knowledge and understanding about the environment too!



Home connections



Thank you again for all of the recyclable items and magazines that have been brought in, we are all very grateful for these items as it really does help the children with all the arts and crafts they get up to! Please continue to send in any material you have lying around as there is always something we

can create with it at school!

Happy exploring from the fireflies team,
Miss Kirsty, Miss Vicky and Miss Rose-Marie