

Thursday 28th January 2021

Zoom

Miss Defty is inviting you to a scheduled Zoom meeting every morning this week from 9.00am to around 9.15am.

Join Zoom Meeting:

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Emotional Well-Being

Take some time out of your day to do something you enjoy - this could be watching a TV programme, playing a game, reading a book, going for a walk, baking with your family, drawing a picture etc.

Phonics

This week we will be looking at the ER Family. There are 4 different ways to make the 'er' sound:

"er" –finger

"ir" – bird

"ur" – nurse

"ear" – search

Today we will be focusing on the 'ear' sound. Watch my video on Class Story and search your house for things with this alternative sound in or draw me a picture of some objects.

English

Listen again to the video from yesterday of our new story 'Meerkat Mail' on Class Story. Answer the questions about the middle and the end of the story.

English – Reading

Read or listen to the story 'The Gruffalo' - <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=s8sUPpPc8Ws>

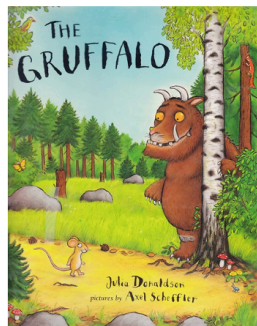
Pick a reading activity to do every day this week.

Fold a piece of paper into 6 equal pieces. Sequence the story by drawing or writing the story in order.

Design a new front cover for the book – think about what happens in the story!

Make a wanted poster for the Gruffalo or one of the other characters in the story.

Draw the funniest part of the story and write about it.



Write a new ending for the story.

If you could ask a character in the story a question, who would you ask and what would you ask them?

Design your own Gruffalo creature. Label all its features like 'terrible jaws' and 'purple prickles all over his back'

Find 10 adjectives (describing words) in the story and write them down. Make up some sentences using those adjectives.

Draw a map of the deep dark wood and label all the important parts on the mouse's journey.

Draw a picture of your favourite character from the story and tell me why they are your favourite.

Maths

We have been learning to compare heights and lengths and describe them using language like shorter and taller, shorter and longer.

Can you put your favourite toys in order of size? Take a photo or draw a picture of them in order from **shortest** to **tallest**.

PE

Join in with the dancing in this video: <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=luQbLAwhmOg> If you want to do some yoga to cool down, watch this video: <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=kRw6sGwN4U4>

OR

If you're up for the challenge, complete PE with Joe (from Wednesday 27th January) - <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=slWSKoiP3vc>

PSHE

Watch my video of the story 'Carrot Club' on Class Story.

Do the statements show a good relationship or a bad relationship. Put a tick for a good relationship and a cross for a bad relationship.

Collective Worship – If At First You Don't Succeed

Today's sure way to fail is to compare yourself with others. There will always be someone who can do what you can do better. There will always be someone who can read faster, ride faster, swim faster, learn faster, but does that mean that you shouldn't try? We've said today that we shouldn't always compare ourselves with other people, by that we mean we shouldn't be too disappointed if we can't do something as well as someone else can. Imagine our baby at their mums and toddlers group and they start chatting with a baby that is already walking and running around the hall. Imagine to our baby's horror that this other baby is 4 weeks younger. How could that make our baby feel? Should that stop our baby from practicing to walk? No of course not, but sometimes when we compare ourselves to others it can make us feel like we are too slow or we aren't good enough. We all learn and progress at our own speed. Whilst everyone in the line-up for the start of the 100m Olympic final would like to win, there is only one winner. Should the others give up because they can't be compared with the winner or should they continue to strive to beat their own best time? For many athletes, the person they are usually racing is themselves, trying to beat their own fastest time and hoping that their time is faster than everyone else's. Other people can be an inspiration, but never let someone else's success stop you from trying.

Time to reflect

- Have you ever given something up because someone else is better at it than you?
- Will there always be someone better at it than you?
- How can we ensure that we enjoy it without comparing ourselves to others?

Reflection (Prayer)

Dear God,

We are thankful for all the gifts in our school and the variety of activities that we are good at. May we not judge or be discouraged by comparing ourselves with others. Let us, instead, be inspired by others and celebrate all our successes.

Amen

English – Meerkat Mail

1. Who does Sunny visit on Monday?

2. Find and copy a word that tells you that Sunny likes the food.

3. What is Sunny's family motto?

4. Why does Sunny not fit in?

5. What is Ed's favourite food?

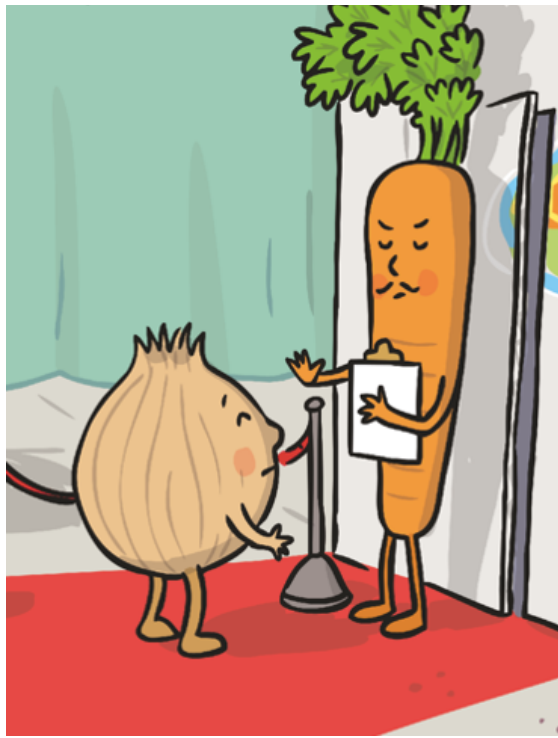
6. Why does Sunny leave Mildred and Frank's?

7. Find and copy two words that describe the Marsh.

8. How does Sunny feel on Saturday?

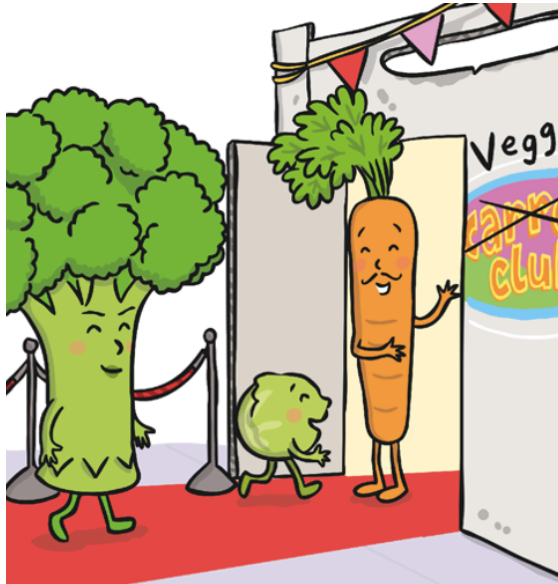
9. Find and copy one word that describes the place where Sunny arrives on Sunday.

I push people because I don't want to play with them.



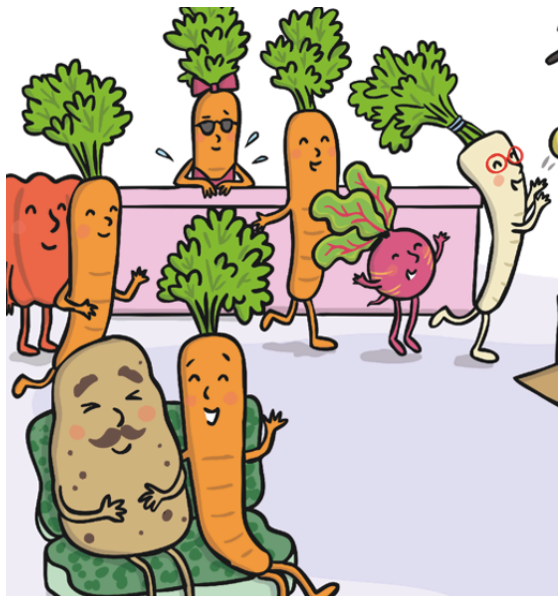
I am friendly to other people and let them play with me.

I tell other people that they are very good at things.



I do not want other people to be happy.

I make fun of other people.



I care about other people's feelings.

I ignore people who I don't like.

I try to help people who need help.