

This week there has been a lot of hard work in Splash as we spent the week looking at spiders! We did spider counting, made shape spiders, made spider biscuits and had some spiders to play with.



Literacy: Reception have now practised all the single sounds in phonics and some of us can recognise them really well. We are focussing on writing our names with all the letters correctly formed and in the correct order. In Nursery we have been mark making with spider and pumpkin pictures, drawing faces with the correct number of eyes, nose and mouth. Some of our children are very interested in registers and have made their own registers which they fill in at registration time. They worked hard to write all our names. Making our pumpkin lanterns was great exercise for our writing muscles.





Mathematics: We are learning the names of shapes and making spiders from rectangles, triangles, circles and squares. We added legs and faces to make our spiders and had to count four legs on each side. Then some children did the addition challenge to find out how many legs a spider has altogether. We did lots of addition this week counting very carefully to find the answer.



Help at Home.....we have done lots of work about recipes this week, making mud pies at woodland workshop and writing our own recipes for our mixtures. If you are cooking talk to your child about ingredients.....(they all know this word) and following instructions and show them a recipe if you use one.

Other News..... At woodland workshop we looked for spider webs and saw one on the gate. We collected ingredients for our outdoor kitchen to make pies and cakes. For our Friday treat we made spider biscuits which looked brilliant! Here is our Autumn display with all your children's art work looking superb!



Next Week.....we are starting to prepare our Christmas play so listen out for your children singing songs. Some children have a short line to say and they all have a part acting and singing. The performances will be at 1pm and 5pm in our new school hall on Wednesday 6th December. We will let you know about costumes in due course, but school provides most of the costume for every child. All children will need black sand shoes.

