**Friday 6th October 2023**

**Please provide a photo of your child as a baby as we are using this to show ‘time passing’ in HISTORY next week. Please email me one.**

Dear Parents,

We have had a great week in Nursery looking at minibeasts under our logs.

**Maths**: We have been practising rote and rational counting and making ABABA patterns with objects.

**Literacy**: We read the traditional tale of the Three Billy Goats Gruff. We have also focused on the book Amazing Daisy in our Think Equal programme.

**Geography:** we have looked at mountains. We discussed what a mountain was and looked at ‘Table Mountain’ in South Africa.

**Phonics:** We have been tuning in to different sounds and differentiating between sounds in the environment.

**P.E:** Your child has engaged in a dance lesson led by a specialist coach. Your child has practised gross motor skills necessary for pre-writing. Your child has also used the all-weather running track every day as part of wellbeing and physical fitness.

**Science:** we have looked at minibeasts in the environment that are beginning to hide due to the cooler weather of autumn.

***Homework-PHONICS- Please play ‘Guess the Sound’ with your child. Hide and make a noise with (for example) a packet of crisps, a metal saucepan and spoon, a half full bottle of water and a pair of scissors. Make a noise with the object and see if your child can ‘tune in’ and name what item you are making the noise with.***

***This letter is on the school website- it may be easier to copy and paste the links via the website****.*

***\* subjects in blue font are taught in afternoon sessions only.***

If you have any questions please do not hesitate to contact me.

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