

# Ladybirds

newsletter

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The Tiger Who  
Came  
to Tea



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## Latest news:

### This week:

We have learnt the story of 'The tiger who came to tea' and talked about what families like to do together. We have learnt about using kind hands in PSHE. Our maths has focused on measuring and counting objects and filling containers using size vocabulary. We have started to practise pen grip, and travelled in different ways in P.E., attended singing assembly and had lots of fun playing with Autumn treasures.

**Next week:** We are learning the sounds and letters: h b f l. We will be learning the story of 'Nobot the Robot' and using this as a theme for play and art. In PSHE, we will learn about our rights as a child.



## Literacy + Maths Home Learning

**Phonics:** Learn the letters **ck, e, u, r**

Brilliant website:

Teach you monster to read (free)

<https://www.teachyourmonster.org/>

**Caterpillar letters and words** - Continue to read these at home. Remember: we test the children reading these in any order.

**Reading:** Minimum reading 4 times per week

Online support

Get Epic reading (free)

Oxford Owl books (free)

Our story this week:

The Tiger who came to tea

[https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=IUAr\\_bnXtKc](https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=IUAr_bnXtKc)

**Maths:** Measuring objects and comparing size:

Tall, taller, tallest

Small, medium, large

## Optional home learning:

### How do we know it's Autumn?

Look for signs of Autumn

Go for an Autumn walk at the park/woods

What colours can you see?

What Autumnal treasures can you collect?

(colourful leaves, conkers, acorns)

Can you make a picture or take a photo to share on Tapestry of your Autumn findings?

## PLEASE OF THE WEEK

If you are able to donate a box of facial tissues to help combat coughs and colds, we would be very grateful.

Thank you for booking your child's teacher-parent consultation. If you haven't been able to then please email

Mrs. White directly.

Thank you

## Dates

- w/c 09.10.23 Harvest food (tins and non-perishables) donation week.
  - 10th Oct - Parent-Teacher Consultations (Hall)
  - 11th Oct - Flu Immunisations - Years R - 6
  - 17.10.23 Harvest Festival service @ St Peters Church, Chertsey at 9:45am. Please let Mrs. White know if you are able to walk with the children to the church (see Harvest letter).
  - 18th Oct - Fraser Photography Individual Photos
  - 18th Oct FOSS Halloween Disco
  - 19th Oct - Open Morning (including tour of school) for prospective parents - 9:30am Friday 20th Oct - Well Done Assembly
  - 20th Oct - Children finish at normal time for half term (Half Term - Mon 23rd to Fri 27th October)
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