



13<sup>th</sup> June 2022

Dear Parents,

We continue with our fish theme this week reading the book 'Hooray for Fish' by Lucy Cousins. The book is a riot of colour, language and rhyme that will seize the children's imagination. We will be focusing on the children's response to the book, encouraging their observations and questions. We will explore rhyme, the setting and the perspectives of different characters. It lends itself so well as inspiration for some wonderful art work and ideas to decorate our undersea role play area.

In maths, we will focus on making sure the children can automatically recall number bonds up to 5 (including subtraction facts) and some number bonds to 10 (including doubles facts).

In phonics, we are using all the sounds learnt so far and using those sounds in our writing. We are also writing and using all the HRS words learnt so far.

The children's handwriting skills are really progressing. Please make sure when they are writing at home that they start their letters in the correct place as this will help them in the future to successfully join letters. Please see on the reverse the starting points. We will be working on this over the next few weeks at school.

Sports Day is on Wednesday which is very exciting. Please send your child to school in their PE kit with a water bottle, hat and coat. Children will need to be collected from The Memorial Field at 3pm - not the school unless they are in after school club.

Best wishes,

Megan Tonkyn & Claudine Clarke

