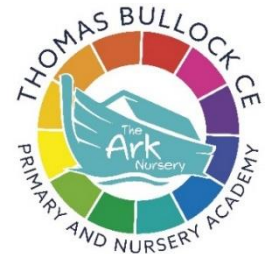


The Ark Nursery Newsletter



This week

We have had a busy week! We started each day with phonics as usual and we've been practising some super segmenting and blending for word reading! In Literacy we have had our final week focusing on 'Hooray for Fish' where we drew our favourite fish, coloured it in according to the colours we recognised on the pictures and talked about why they were our favourite. During Maths, we learnt about the composition of 5. Lots of children were excitedly shouting "3 and 2 makes 5", "4 and 1 makes 5!" As well as this, we explored our outdoor environments, moved around our outdoor equipment to make a longer balancing beam and took part in lots of Valentine's themed activities.



See our Spring 2 newsletter for what we will be up to next half term. Enjoy your half term!

Learning links at home

- Have a well-deserved rest!
- Draw a large 5 frame outside. In what way can you fill the frame? 4 leaves and 1 stick? 3 stones and 2 flowers? Discuss how they have filled the 5 frame.
- Make a tower of 5 using 2 different blocks. Say what you have made, e.g. I have made 5 using 2 white cubes and 3 yellow cubes.
- We are learning about dinosaurs after half term. What do you already know about dinosaurs? Can you name some?