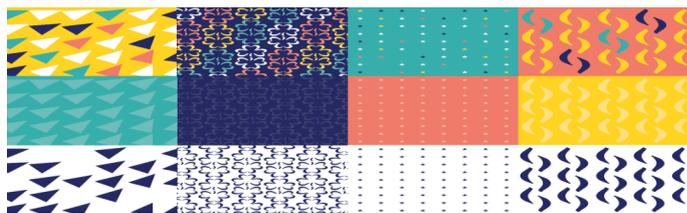


Maths

In maths this half term we will be practising our counting. As well as beginning to discover all about numbers 1 to 5 we will be counting out lots of objects including natural and found objects that we will have gathered on our Autumn walk.

At the same time as counting different objects we will also be thinking about where those objects are positioned by using some positional language in our activities.



We will also be investigating patterns in the environment around us as well as patterns in time.

Maths Vocabulary

We always encourage the children in Saplings Class to use correct vocabulary.

This half term our focus will be on the words

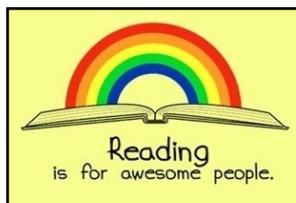
**Pattern same different spot-
ty zig zag wavy breakfast
lunch dinner under over
next to behind on top be-
hind below one two three
four five order**

We hope that you can encourage your child to use these words during everyday activities at home and whenever opportunities arise.

Reading Records

We hope you are enjoying our weekly rhymes. Please continue to read each week's rhyme daily with your child encouraging them to here and say any rhyming words, as well as listening for initial sounds in words. As before please also use the reading record booklets to let us know about any other books your that child has read, or any activities that they have taken part in and enjoyed so that we can encourage them to share their experiences with everyone in Saplings Class.

Thank you.



School Uniform

Accessories

May we please remind you that hair accessories, socks and tights should be black, grey, white or red only.

Also nail varnish is not permitted along with jewellery other than plain or stud earrings, and watches are only allowed when your child can tell the time.

Thank you for your support.

Dates for your diary

- EYFS Virtual Christmas performance— 11th December 2020.
- Last day of Autumn term—18th December 2020

**We are all looking
forward to another busy and
exciting half term!**

Mrs Smith,

Miss Smith

Miss Wharton and

Miss Evans