## Hello Everyone,

ideas.

In Literacy this week we looked at revising the phonic sounds sh and ch and also carried on revising the sounds ck e u with children that need to practice their first sounds a bit more. The sound sh is for ship and the action is putting your hands together, as if in prayer, but pointing them away from yourself, and then moving them up and down on imaginary waves like a ship. Ch is for chick and the action is flapping your hands at your side like a chick. Linking to our class story, Jack and the Beanstalk, we innovated the story, which means we re-told it, changing the main details such as the main characters names, what grew etc. I have attached the finished stories at the bottom of the page. They were awesome!!! This Friday we created posters that all children brought home linked to 'Walk to School Week.' We discussed why it is beneficial to walk to school and made posters reflecting these

In our maths we looked at simple fractions. We looked at whole shapes and  $\frac{1}{2}$  of a shape, and sorted some everyday objects under the correct heading of whole or half. We also used our knowledge of  $\frac{1}{2}$  to colour in half of different shapes.

In P.E. we carried on practicing for our Sport's Day and progressed onto throwing wellies!!!! Those poor wellies had a battering!!!



In our Outdoor learning we went on a sound hunt, sorting pictures according to whether they had a sh or ch sound in them.

In Welsh we read the story of Tedi Twt Ar Lan y Mor (At the beach) and drew pictures of the things he might take to the beach with him that we then labelled in Welsh.

In science, we revised what plants need in order to grow, and devised an experiment to see if cress will grow if it has different essential things taken away from it - sun, water and soil. We will see next week what happens to the cress!!!



Happy Weekend Everyone!

Miss Thomas, Mrs Bowen & Mrs Davies.

Once upon a time there was a nice girl called Lilly. She lived in a dusty house with her lovely Dad. They had no money and their most valuable possession was a golden racing car. One day Lilly's Dad told Lilly to take the golden racing car to a garage to sell. On the way Lilly met a friend from soft play who offered her some magic flower petals in exchange for the golden racing car. When Lilly got home with the magic flower petals her Dad was disappointed and he threw the magic flower petals out of the door and sent Lilly to bed.

The next day when Lilly looked out of the door she saw a gigantic sunflower. Lilly climbed the gigantic sunflower. It was so ginormous it went all the way to the Moon in space. When Lilly got to the top she saw an alien spaceship. Lilly went in and saw enormous furniture. Suddenly Lilly heard a noise. She ran to hide under a box. An Alien came in and said, "Doo, daa, dee, dum, I smell a bad, stinky girl!"

The Alien sat down at a table. On the table was a baby T-Rex dinosaur and a tambourine. "Lay!" said the Alien to the baby T-Rex dinosaur and the dinosaur laid a chocolate egg. "Play!" said the Alien to the tambourine and the tambourine played, "Eye of the Tiger!". The Alien fell asleep. Lilly crept out of from under the box and picked up the dinosaur and the tambourine but the tambourine shouted, "Boss, wake up, someone is stealing me!" The Alien woke up and said, "Doo, daa, dee, dum, I smell a bad, stinky girl!"

He chased Lilly to the Sunflower. Lilly climbed down the Sunflower and the Alien followed her. At the bottom of the Sunflower Lilly shouted, "Help me Dad!" Lilly's Dad came with a chainsaw. He chopped the bottom of the Sunflower and the Alien fell to the ground with a big thump and was never seen again.

With the chocolate eggs and the tambourine, Lilly and her Dad lived a lovely life.

Once upon a time there was a little boy called Spike. He lived in a small village with his old Grandma. They had no money and their most valuable possession was a pretty rainbow coloured parrot. One day Spike's old Grandma told Spike to take the parrot to market to sell. On the way Spike met an old Pirate who offered him a hooked hand in exchange for the parrot. When Spike got home with the hooked hand his old Grandma was furious and she threw the hooked hand out of the door and sent Spike to bed.

The next day when Spike went downstairs he saw a treasure chest left behind. Spike climbed into the treasure chest. It was so deep it went all the way down to the drain pipes and sewer. When Spike got to the bottom he saw a Pirate Ship. Spike climbed on board and saw enormous furniture. Suddenly Spike heard a noise. He ran to hide in the hold. A giant Kraken came in and said, "Crunch, munch, crack, whack, I smell a coral and seaweedy boy!"

The giant Kraken sat down at a table. On the table was a clown fish in a tank and a drum. "Juggle!" said the Giant Kraken to the clown fish and the clown fish juggled a golden ball. "Bang!" said the Giant Kraken to the drum and the drum drummed. The Giant Kraken fell asleep. Spike crept out of the hold and picked up the clown fish and the drum but the drum screamed, "Save me! I'm getting stolen!" The Giant Kraken woke up and said, "Crunch, munch, crack, whack, I smell a coral and seaweedy boy!"

He chased Spike to the Treasure chest. Spike climbed up the Treasure chest and the Giant Kraken followed him. At the top of the Treasure chest Spike shouted, "Help!" Spike's old Grandma came with duct tape. She taped the treasure chest closed and the Giant Kraken couldn't get out of the chest and was never seen again.

With the clown fish and the drum that played, "Why, why, Delilah!" Spike and his old Grandma lived happily ever after.