



John of Rolleston Foundation News



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Teaching and Learning This Week

This week the teaching and learning has been based around celebrating 'Bonfire Night'. The children have used a range of materials to create rockets, explored reading real and pseudo words using the phonic sounds taught to date, ordered rockets by their length and written in speech and thought bubbles. They have also had the opportunity to engage within other 'Bonfire Night' themed learning activities.

Ideas for learning at home

Draw and label a 'Bonfire Scene' using words and captions.

Explore making real and pseudo words using the sounds learnt to date
s a t p i n m d g o c k.

Morning Procedures

Well done to all the children for coming in on their own this week. They should be congratulated.

Outdoor Learning

There will be outdoor learning tomorrow Friday 9 November 2018.

Please send your child in uniform and their outdoor learning clothes in a separate bag.

Thank you ☺

FOJORPS

FOJORPS are holding the first disco of the school year tomorrow, Friday 9 November 2018.

This takes place on the Alderbrook site from 5.30 to 6.45 for Foundation and Key Stage One. Tickets cost £3.00.

Letters and sounds

Red Room and Blue Room:

Learn the phoneme and graphemes for **c** & **k**. The children have been listening for these sounds in words, exploring how we can read words with these phonemes (robot arms - segmenting and blending) and practising writing the grapheme for both **c** & **k**.

Number Groups

Red Room and Blue Room:

This week we have been focussing on relative position to objects e.g. 'behind' and 'next to'. Children have listened to instructions to position themselves and objects, as well as describing the position of given objects. The children have also explored more challenging vocabulary such as 'in between', 'underneath', 'beside' and 'through'.