

# EYFS TALK newsletter - Nursery



#### This fortnight

week commencing: 07.12.2020

We hope you and your child enjoyed completing the activities on our previous TALK newsletter. It was great to see lots of uploads to Tapestry - thank you!

As you know, this half term the children have been looking at celebrations. So far, they have enjoyed bonfire night, Diwali and birthday themed activities. The children loved listening to and discussing the story 'Kipper's Birthday'. In phonics, the children have been using their voices to say a range of words using: loud; quiet; deep; squeaky; fast and slow sounds. Our focus number in maths was 5 and we also recapped numbers 1, 2, 3 and 4; the children have been practising counting objects, singing number rhymes and recognising Numicon tiles for these numbers.

# Nursery rhyme

Christmas pudding, Christmas pudding, steaming hot, steaming hot.

Sprinkle on the sugar, sprinkle on the sugar, eat the lot, eat the lot.



### Maths game

When you are in your home or out in the local area, see if you can spot the numbers 1, 2, 3, 4 or 5. Some places you might find these are:

- as house numbers
- as bus numbers
- in telephone numbers on a takeaway menu
- on the television
- on some of your toys

Why not add some pictures of your findings on your child's Tapestry profile? We would love to see them.

# Christmas word to investigate

advent

manger

holly

Talk about what these words mean. Model how to say each word and ask your child to copy.

# Phonics game

Funny Voices: Hunt around your home for 5 Christmas related objects. When you have found the items; name each thing and then change your voice to say the word in different ways. You could use: loud, quiet, high, low, fast and slow voices.