

What have we been learning?

Week beginning: 17th November 2025

This week we have been learning all about circles and triangles. We have discussing different ways to identify each shape. We have learned that a circle only has 1 curved side, and a triangle must have 3 straight sides and 3 corners. We went on a shape hunt around school to find circles and triangles, but we also had a look for squares and rectangles too. During choosing time we have been making shape pictures inspired by the artist Kandinsky.



In RE this week we have been starting to learn about the nativity story. We read the Annunciation (Luke 1:26-32, 38) from the Bible, and learned that the Angel Gabriel told Mary that she was going to have a son named Jesus, The Son of God. We learned that Mary said 'yes' to God, as she trusted him. We made our own Angel Gabriel :)



How can you help your child with their learning?

- In phonics this week we have been learning the digraphs (sounds with 2 letters) 'sh', 'ch', and 'qu'. Please practise saying, reading and writing sounds that your child has learned with them and help them with their letter formation, ensuring they are holding their pencils correctly and starting the letters in the right place :)
- Look for shapes in the environment and talk about how you know it is that shape. 'I can see a cushion, I know this is a square, because it has 4 corners and 4 equal sides'.
- Next week we will be holding a class birthday party for baby Rosie's birthday. Please help your child to learn the date (number and month) of their birthday, for example 1st July.