



**This week** we have been learning about the job of a postal worker. We have thought of all the things that they may need to help them in their job. The children came up with the ideas of being fit and healthy, a sat nav, a big bag and an alarm clock! We have written letters and discussed different reasons for sending or receiving post - cards, magazines, bills and postcards were some of the items we talked about. In maths we have been using 3d shapes to print with. We are beginning to learn the names of 3d shapes and have talked about their faces and vertices. We have also enjoyed supporting Children in Need. Class R have made some cakes so we hope they sell later on!

**Letters and Sounds** This week we have been learning to recognise and write the sounds j, v, x and y.

**Next week** we will be sharing the story of The Jolly Postman. We will be creating story maps and sequencing pictures from the story. We are going to get prepared for the Christmas Fayre; items to sell and posters will be created. In maths we will be learning about money. We will be recognising coins and paying for items in our class charity shop.

**Show and Tell** Our theme for next week will be 'Something important to me'. Please help your child choose something to bring in for Friday and discuss with them why this item is important so that they can tell the rest of the class.

**Weekly challenge** Use the number formation sheet (inside the children's book bags) to help them practise writing numerals correctly. 2s and 5s are particularly tricky!

With best wishes,

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