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Rabbit Class Home Learning

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Maths Challenge: This week we have been counting up to 20 and finding numbers which are 1 more and 1 less than a given number. The children are generally secure with 1 more but find 1 less a little more challenging. Please practise at home. Have some number cards from 1- 10 or 1-20 if your child is secure with numbers to 10. Play 'I bet you can't tell me what this number is...?' (Hold up a card) Now tell me 1 more / less than that number. If your child does not recognise a number use a numberline to count along.

Phonics

We have learnt some new sounds this week - j,v,x. We have learnt the sound they make as well as learning how to form the letters.

j as in jelly **not jay**

v as in van **not vee**

x as in box **not ex**

Please find enclosed a letter formation sheet to practise. Remember the letters start on the line! This does not need to be handed in - it is for your information.

We have also been working on blending the sounds and reading. Please find enclosed another reading game to play with your child at home.

What have we been learning this week?

We enjoyed forest school where we continued learning about animals which hibernate for the winter. We saw mole hills and investigated which animals may have visited the farm by looking at the different pool! We took some small world toys into the forest with us and made dens for them to hibernate in - thinking about how we might make the den secure for the winter. **A reminder to bring in waterproofs to school please.**

We talked about the different seasons and how the environment changes with each season - thinking about the trees especially.

We also made Christingles and learnt about how Christians around the world prepare for Christmas. We continued with the nativity story and practising our Christmas songs and dances for the nativity.

What was your favourite activity in school this week?

