



Our Value this month is Respect

Diary Dates

25th-29th May	Half Term Holidays
4th June	Year 4 Caldecote Day Trip
6th July	Sports Day
25th June	PTA Disco-Details to follow
3rd July	Step Up Day & 3pm Acorn Parents Chat with Mrs Mellor
9th July	Summer Production 2pm & 6pm
13th July	Whole school trip- Woburn

Acorn class have had a wonderful last week before the half term. Their morning literacy learning has been based on Little Red Riding Hood. We read the story and then thought about what would have been in Little Red's basket....

The children drew some excellent pictures and wrote a list of all of their things in their basket. They have also written captions to say what they could remember happening based on pictures from the story. The children designed amazing maps to show the journey from Little Red's house to her Grandma's house, including some of the obstacles she faced on her journey and different things she could have seen - the children had imaginative ideas



such as the cinema, a park, a circus, an ice cream van, lakes, flower fields and more! It is lovely to see them growing in confidence with their independent writing. We have practiced handwriting too, the children are trying so hard with their letter formation and making sure their writing is not too big. On Wednesday it was World Bee Day, we shared information about what bees do and why they are so amazing, the children then completed some excellent writing about the honeycomb in the bee hives and they noticed that the bee keepers wear special suits and gloves to protect them. In Maths we have been learning about sharing and grouping. Using teddies and cubes to help the children visually understand the concepts and to identify how we can fairly share between the bears.



In our very last forest school session for this year the children loved being out with Jacquie as always, we are so lucky to have her!



They enjoyed swinging in the hammock, walking and balancing on the bouncy ropes between the trees, climbing in the apple tree, making log crafts and making clay sculptures, we finished the session with yummy chocolate covered strawberries.

In PE with Kiera the children continued practicing their tennis skills. They also practiced passing the beanbag around the circle with their racquets and counting as they passed. They also enjoyed playing some games before the end of the session.



Wishing you all a wonderful half term in the beautiful sunshine we are due to have!



This week the **Special Awards** go to:

Acorn Class: Sienna



Willow Class: Joseff

Oak Class: Nicholas

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Menu will be: Week 3

