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Dear Foundation Parents/Carers

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Weekly Newsletter

We have had an excellent week in Julia Donaldson class. The children have been so excited for the whole school christmas performances and were lucky enough to watch the dress rehearsal! The children particularly enjoyed joining in with the singing and could not take their eyes of their buddies when they were speaking or dancing.

In the outside area this week the children have been creating their own performances on our patio stage and have been using the giant numicon pieces to create bridges for the 'Billy Goats Gruff' to cross the river. The cheeky Troll has been muddling them up and ordering the numicon pieces has been a challenge the children have really got stuck into.

During number time we have been looking at

In phonics we have been concentrating on our letter formation during handwriting and using the magnetic boards to create CVC words with fluency and accuracy. The children have also been practicing to sight read their tricky words and high frequency words to support their reading. Thank you to all of the parents that are supporting their child with this at home, it is really noticable in class.

Thank you to everyone who came to school wearing their christmas jumper, it was such a festive day with our roast dinners and we certainly made some wonderful memories with the children. we hope you liked the pictures!

Dates for the diary:

- 16th December- 10:30 am- 'Carolothon' in Saltash, please come along so that the children can sing together
- 17th December - Class trip to Pennywell Farm
- 19th December - 'Onsie Wednesday' - Please could your child come into school wearing either a onsie or their pyjamas
- 21st December - Last day of term
- 7th January- First Day back to school after the Christmas Holiday

We hope you all have an amazing weekend. Miss Palarm and Mrs Shaw

