# **Bessemer Primary School Newsletter**



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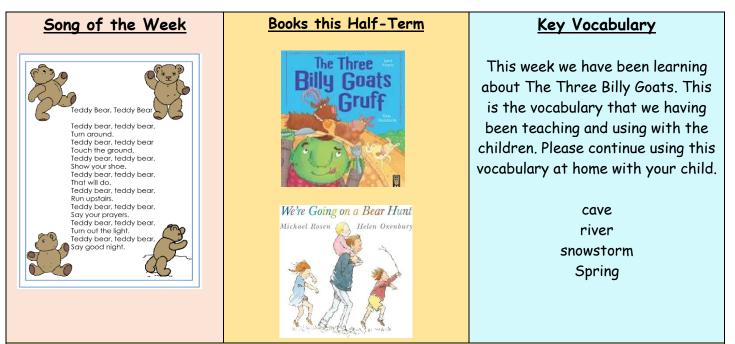
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## Nursery Newsletter 8/3/24

#### <u>Our Week</u>

We have had a very fun week in Nursery. On Monday, the bear from 'We're Going on a Bear Hunt' made a gigantic mess in our classrooms, and we made wanted posters to try and find it! We read the story and enjoyed joining in with the repeated phrases. In Maths, we learnt about one more and loved singing along to the rhyme, 'One Man Went to Mow'. Later on in the week, it was World Book Day and Celebration day. We really enjoyed dressing up as our favourite book characters and doing lots of reading activities with our adults. We learned new poems, sang nursery rhymes, acted out stories, and played memory games to develop our early reading skills. We were also visited by Year 4 who spent the afternoon reading stories to us. We loved it!





### Listening & Attention – Alliteration

This week, we have continued to learn about words that start with the same sound. We have been playing lots of games to encourage the children to hear the initial sounds in words and identify other words that also start with the same sounds.

#### Home Challenge!

Can you work with your child to make a list of words that start with the same sound as their name for example, Susan, Snake, Soup, Sausages, Sandwich?

#### Things to Remember...

#### <u>Reading</u>

Parents/carers are expected to share books with their child every day. Please ensure you are writing in the yellow reading record daily so children can earn rewards for the frequency of their reading.

#### Book Changing Day

Ladybird- Wednesday Butterfly- Thursday

Please ensure your child brings their book bags daily in case there are any last-minute changes.

#### Spare Socks

If you have any spare socks, please bring them in to school.

#### Key Dates:

School Holidays 29<sup>th</sup>- 15<sup>th</sup> April- The last day for children will be on Thursday 28<sup>th</sup> March and they will return on Tuesday 16<sup>th</sup> April. Monday 15<sup>th</sup> April is an INSET Day.

#### Many thanks,

The Nursery Team