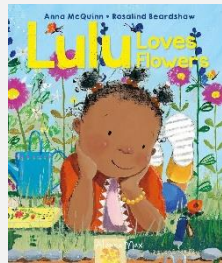




This week in N Rosen, we have been exploring...

Literacy

In Literacy, we have been exploring the text *Lulu Loves Flowers*. We have been talking about how to grow different flowers, planting our own flower garden and also writing lists by labelling different flowers/minibeasts with their initial sounds. We have also continued to practise writing our names.



Continue to practise writing your child's name with them; encourage correct directionality and formation when writing letters.

Maths

In Maths, we have explored different 2D and 3D shapes. We have learnt their names and some of their properties, including square, rectangle, circle, triangle and cube, cuboid, cylinder and sphere. We have built bridges, castles and towers using the shapes and described them.



In Concept Cat, we have been learning the words 'longer', 'below', 'thin'.



You could encourage your child to identify 2D or 3D shapes around your home or out and about over the holidays.

In The Garden

This half term, our topic was In The Garden. We have loved exploring nature and developing our knowledge of the outdoors. We enjoyed sharing photos of our own gardens, talking about what we see there, planting various plants, searching for different minibeasts and also tasting different fruits and vegetables that grow on plants. You could encourage your child to talk about changes they notice in your garden.



Phonics

We have continued to learn some sounds following our Read Write Inc scheme. We have gained more confidence in using Fred Talk to orally segment and blend some words. We have learnt the 'i, n, p, g, o, c, k, u, b, f, e, l' sounds and the pictures associated. We are also continuing to focus on alliteration, identifying rhyme and practising our oral segmenting and blending skills.



Practise the above skills with your child - alliteration, rhyme and oral segmenting and blending words. Please speak to a member of the Nursery team if you need support.