Welcome back!! We hope you all had a lovely half term break. It is so good to see everyone back in Birch class for Autumn 2.

## Birch

## Highlights for the week

Friday 8<sup>th</sup> November 2024



Class Awards: Head teachers awards

Maths and English: This week we have started looking at the story of the three little pigs. This week we have listened to the story and interacted with resources linked to the story i.e. toy pigs and houses.

In Maths this week we have started to explore shapes, position and direction. In free low we have shape sorters, inset puzzles and various shaped beanbags and toy eggs for the children to explore and sort into correct 2D and 3D shapes o the tuff tray.

Messages from Mrs Dixon:

Thank you to everyone so far who has provided a bottle or recycling items to make a pull along toy in DT and a musical instrument in Science this term. We are still after some more so please if you have any that you are just going to throw out we would very much welcome them in Birch class to help the children complete their projects (500ml bottle, cardboard boxes/tubes).

Nathan: for staying in Birch class for 45 minutes, sitting and interacting with resources at the table during Topic.

**Arveen:** for attending a stage 4 bucket in Maths completing all tasks with minimal prompts and playing a song on the chime bars in music·

For being kind at school: Amaan: For when a friend was sad, Amaan went over to him and gave him a cuddle.

**Topic:** This week we have been looking at History and exploring sound by looking at and making maracas and we will continue this on Monday by making our own, taking pictures and reflecting on what we have completed, also looking at pictures of what each student has completed over the last term, chance for some reflections and looking at our short term history.