



# Foundation News



## Friday 28th February 2020

### This Week

This week we started learning a story about dinosaurs to tell to other people. It is based on the book "Going on a Bear Hunt" and follows the same story structure. Maybe, over the next few weeks, your child can tell it to you. We have been looking at subtraction, using practical activities, such as working with the dinosaur models and finding out what would happen if one of the group of dinosaurs went off to find food, or if two went away for a swim, or if three got eaten! We have used cotton buds to make a dinosaur skeleton collage and paper plates to make our own Brachiosaurus, working on the ability to use spilt pins to connect bits of card so that they move. We also started our dance sessions and have been moving to music like the dinosaurs.

### Next Week

Next week we will be continuing with our text 'We're Going on a Dinosaur Hunt'. We will be planning what we will take on a dinosaur hunt and put in our backpacks. We will use the story we have learnt to make up our own versions and record these on a story map. In Maths we will be subtracting, and starting to use the number line to help us. We will also look at measure as we compare the different heights and lengths of the dinosaurs. We will also be having World Book Day on Thursday. The children will be taking part in various different activities. We will be talking about their favourite book, so please discuss this with them over the weekend so they can make a poster about it.

**Phonic learning of the week: phase 4 clusters** ft, nk, mp

**Tricky word of the week:** so

### Attendance for the week



Arundel

98%

Scotney

95%



### PE kits

We are doing dance every Tuesday this term, so please make sure your child's PE kit is in school. This week we ran out of spare kit to hand out. Many thanks for your help.

### Value medal winners



Honesty

Arundel

Lachlan

Scotney

Julie



Self-Belief

### Forest school

The next group of forest school sessions begins on Friday the 6th. If it is your child's turn, you will shortly receive an email inviting you to the parents session at the end of term. Please make sure your child has wellies and a warm coat for these sessions.

### Stars of the Week

Juwayriyah

Arundel

Scotney

Ella

### Artist of the week

Arundel Class  
Poppy's Brachiosaurus



### Cooking Club

Cooking Club is running very short of funds. Thank you if you have already sent in your contribution. If you haven't sent in your £3 this term, could you pop it into us next week please?

### Dates for the Diary

Monday 2nd and Thursday 5th March

Parent's Evening

Thursday 5th March

World Book Day

Thursday 12th March

Miss Lemon and Miss Carden out at the Kent Early Years Conference

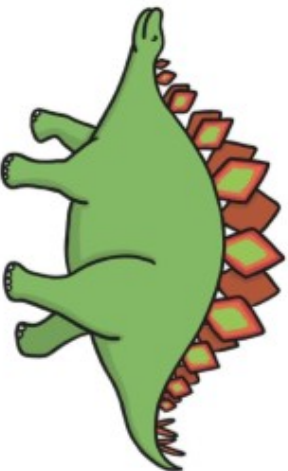
Thursday 19th March

Scotney class assembly

Friday 20th March

Spring disco

# Dinosaur Word Mat



Stegosaurus



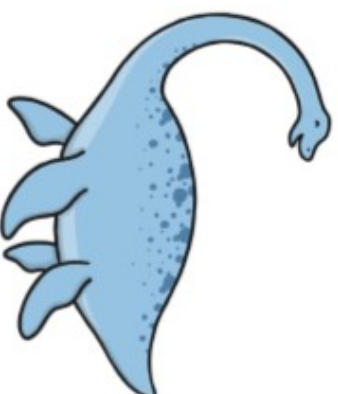
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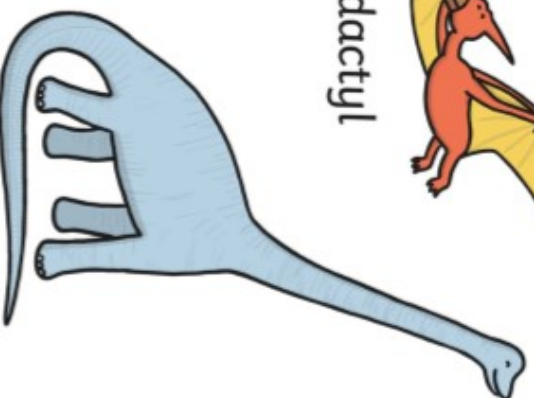
Pterodactyl



Plesiosaur



Tyrannosaurus rex



Brachiosaurus



Velociraptor



Apatosaurus