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# **Reception News**

Our topic is

#### Animals

#### This week in Reception

We have been learning to add numbers together and we have been telling addition number stories. We have been sewing on Binka and even though we found it tricky we did not give up. We are very excited because the duckling eggs arrived and two of them have hatched already!



## **Phonics**

Click on the links to practise your sounds and word reading at home.





Set 2 Word Challenge with Joshua

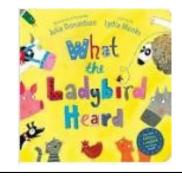
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# **Next week in Reception**

#### **Literacy**

We will read the story 'What the Ladybird Heard' and write our own versions of the story.



## **Maths**

We will be learning how to solve subtraction problems.

There are 4 fish in the tank. If 2 are given way. How many fish will be left in the tank?



#### Songs, Rhymes and Poems

We will be learning the song 'What the Ladybird Heard.'





Once upon a farm lived a ladybird Who hardly ever spoke a word, But the ladybird saw and the ladybird heard, And here's what the animals said: ્રષ્ટ

The cow said "Moo!" and the hen said "Cluck!" "Hiss!" said the goose. "Quack!" said the duck. "Neigh!" said the horse. "Oink!" said the hog. "Baa!" said the sheep, and "Woo!!" said the dog, And the old cat miaowed while the young cat purred, But the ladybird said never a word.



When the little ladybird found out how Two thieves were planning to steal the cow, Then everyone kicked up a terrible row, And here's what the animals said:



The cow said "Moo!" and the hen said "Cluck!" "Hiss!" said the goose. "Quack!" said the duck. "Neigh!" said the horse. "Oink!" said the hog. "Baa!" said the sheep, and "Woo!" said the dog, And then both the cats began to miaow "We can't let the thieves steal the fine prize cow."



# Word Aware Next week we will learn these words: night grumbled shrieked

edge

take away

## Understanding of the World

We will make posters to encourage people to pick up litter.



# **Expressive Arts and Design**

We will be making a mini beast hotel.



#### **Messages**

Click on the picture to watch this clip on the benefits of unpacking shopping bags together.



It lets your child **practise using words to describe where things go,** like 'in the cupboard', 'in the fridge' and 'on the table'.