

Theme: 'Jungle Animals-Snakes'

Next week: 'Jungle animals-tigers' This continues to link with our fine and gross motor scheme 'Jungle Journey'

This week I have been

- chanting days of the week and the months of the year through simple songs
- looking at nonfiction books about snakes
- making zigzag patterns developing my pencil control and drawing large zigzag patterns on the playground with chalk
- learning about direction for writing-left to right
- listening to rhyming stories
- continuing my phonics learning-learning about alliteration
- on a number spotting walk around the school
- identifying numbers
- learning some simple facts about snakes

In practise time I have been able to

Role play- house inside & book shop outside

- trace zigzag patterns
- develop my scissor control by cutting zigzag patterns
- use play dough to make snakes and adding 'wiggly' eyes and patterns
- play snakes and ladders
- decorate a cake with the correct number of candles to match my age

Outdoor play

- explore drawing patterns in the sand using sticks
- make zigzag pathways with the crates and planks
- play a game involving matching rhyming pictures
- 'fish' for plastic snakes in the water tray

At home you can help me to

- count on by playing snakes and ladders or other board games
- identify numbers by going on a number spotting hunt either indoors or outside

- learn more about rhyming words by sharing the resource sheet placed inside my Busy Book
- develop my writing readiness by helping me to draw patterns starting left to right

Next Week I will be

- continuing my phonics learning-learning about voice sounds
- learning some simple facts about tigers
- having my first shared reading session with a member of Class 6
- enjoying the story 'The Tiger Who Came To Tea'
- learning to order and identify numbers

Information: Thank you for all the Harvest food items that you have donated. So very generous of you all.

Next Monday, we will have another Harvest assembly before distributing the food and this will be lead by Reverend Huggins.

Gentle reminder- please kindly ensure that drinks bottles are only filled with water. Juice is not permitted in accordance with our healthy school policy.

Thank you very much. Have a lovely weekend. Rainbow Class Team