

Reception - Theme Into the Woods - Story - Owl Babies

English

Click on the link to watch this beautiful animated story of the Owl Babies

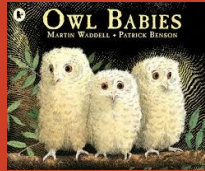
<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=TPQRt5TYFHo>

Label an owl or other woodland creature picture using your knowledge of initial and other sounds in the words, beak, back, feathers, talon

Share books about owls and other animals. Discuss the difference between fiction and nonfiction books helping the children to understand that books can be used to find out information.

Letter sounds for this week ck,e,u,r.

Writing - words containing new sounds, labels and familiar words



Understanding the world

Find out about owls - using the internet and information books.

Investigate feathers - Why are feathers important?



Look at aerial/birds eye view images of the local area - where can they see/what do they recognise?

Dawali is the Hindu festival of lights.

Watch the link below. Think of times when we celebrate? Talk about similarities and differences

<https://www.bbc.co.uk/cbeebies/watch/lets-celebrate-diwali>

Maths

Spatial Awareness

Can hear and begin to use positional language to describe how items are positioned in relation to other items.

Begin to represent real places they have visited or places in stories with their models, drawings and maps.

Talk about the journey from home to school. What do they pass?

Physical Development

Explore a variety of jumps and discuss landing safely

Fine Motor - Worm Hunting

Create patterns of lines and circles

Use a range of one handed tools

Art and Design

Songs and rhymes about woodland animals (Five wise Owl song)

Look at images of owls and recreate using different media and materials such as charcoal drawing, painting, collage.

Use natural materials such as feathers, leaves and twigs to create an owl baby picture.

Rangoli art

PSED and Communication and Language

Talk about how Sarah, Percy and Bill felt when they realised their mum wasn't there. and when their mum came back. Think of times when we felt worried or scared and when we felt relieved and happy. Explore new emotions and their meaning.

Outside

Recreate a habitat for owls using natural materials.

Things to do at home

Make bird feeders;

<https://www.thechaosandtheclutter.com/archives/toilet-paper-roll-bird-feeder>

Learn the new letter sounds ck,e,u,r