

# BRAYBROOK <u>EYFS</u> Fortnightly Newsletter

#### Maths

We have been 'high fiving' in maths. We have been learning all about the number 5, how to show it on our fingers, which shape has five sides and all sorts of number rhymes that have five in them. Our favourite one by far has got to be, 'Five Little Peas.' Here are the words so that you can practice it at home:

# **5 Little Peas**

5 little peas in a pea pod pressed

One grew, two grew and so did all the rest.

They grew and they grew and they did not stop.

They grew so big that the peas went pop!

### **English:**

We have been focusing on our writing skills. We have been learning to write simple words all by ourselves. In order to support our handwriting skills, we have been taking part in 'Squiggle Whilst you Wiggle.' We have been learning a new dance each week and then using this dance to 'squiggle' away. We have also started daily handwriting sessions. We have made such great progress and we will be writing independently in no time!

# <u>Understanding the World and Outdoor</u> <u>Learning:</u>

We learnt about something that happened a long time before we were born. We read a letter from King James, he said it had been a stressful week, however he was relieved that it was all over. He even said it was time for the whole country to celebrate. We then learnt all about Guy Fawkes and his plot. We were shocked, but very relieved that his plot was foiled! Following on from this we did lots of fireworks themed activities. We used chalk to create our very own fireworks themed artwork.

## **Photos**



# **Reminders**

#### **P.E**:

P.E takes place every Tuesday afternoon. Children should bring their P.E. kits to school so that they can change into them. Children should wear their school uniform, including school shoes, to school every day. We also ask that they DO NOT wear hooped earrings to school.

#### **Homework and Reading Books**

Homework will continue to be sent out on a Wednesday. We have had such a great response to our reading challenge and the children are so excited to change their books. We will continue to change books every Tuesday and Friday. Please ensure the children's reading diaries are signed to show that the book has been read.



