

## What have we been learning?

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We have been delighted to see how confidently the children have settled back into the Spring Term and how enthusiastically they have engaged with their learning.

This week in Reception, the children have been focusing on the *red words* they have learnt so far. They have enjoyed a range of fun activities including red word bowling, creating red word rainbows, and practising using red words in their independent writing. You can support this learning at home by playing a simple game where you say a red word and your child writes it down. Please see the red words below.



Red Words Set 1				
I	the	my	you	said
your	are	be	of	no

In Maths, the children have been learning that **0 means none** and have been matching numerals to quantities from **0–5**.



A big well done to our Nursery children who are starting to write and trace their names. This is a wonderful milestone, and it's something you may wish to continue practising together at home.



## Nursery Rhymes

Nursery:

<https://www.bbc.co.uk/teach/school-radio/articles/zn9vhbk>



Reception:

<https://www.bbc.co.uk/teach/school-radio/articles/z69vhbk>

A sailor went to sea, sea, sea

School Radio - Reception / EYF5 - Nursery Rhymes and Songs - A to Z



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## Understanding of the World

As part of *Understanding the World*, the children have been learning through exploring their physical environment and community. This term our focus is on **water and underwater environments**. This week, the children have been identifying sources of water around the school, such as taps, toilets, water fountains and the dishwasher. As well as how and why we use water such as: washing our hands, cleaning, bathing and watering plants.



They have also had great fun playing in the snow, exploring how ice is made, and observing what happens as it melts.



