

Foundation

This week, the children came in to their classrooms to find a giant beanstalk growing and some giant footsteps! Luckily the giant did not reappear to turn any of our children into his bread but did lead to some fantastic retellings of the 'Jack and the Beanstalk' story. The children have also planted their own beans and some are hopeful they will be able to climb up in to the clouds to find a magic harp.

Well done to F52 for their fantastic class assembly on Wednesday. They showed some beautiful artwork and re-told the Eric Carle story of 'The Tiny Seed'! Thank you to those parents who were able to come and watch. We look forward to the turn of F54 next week!

This week in Maths, the children have been practising counting in 2s, 5s and 10s. At home, please practise this with your child. Some ways to do this include

- counting in 1s but whispering the odd numbers and speaking the even numbers in a normal voice
- counting pairs of socks
- counting pairs of animals going in to the ark
- Drop 2p, 5p or 10p coins in to a container and count as they get dropped in

Also remember to practise 'Hit the Button' if your child would like to visit Mr Pallister's Maths Club during Thursday lunchtimes.

Next week, the children will be looking at how their beans are growing and will write a bean diary.

Please can we remind parents to send in their red, named, uniform, St Faith's sun hat. We will keep the hats in the children's trays and expect them to wear them when they are outside. We also would like to have named suncream and a water bottle, for each child.

Best wishes,
The Foundation Team