The children will soon be bringing home their art folder. Please empty it and return it to school for use next year.

**READING:**

**Big Book:** Where the Wild Things Are

**Sound:** ‘ar’ as in car

**Words to learn to read:** Revision

**Phonemic Awareness:** Making words with 4 sounds and then changing the vowel to make a new word eg Spot-spit, flop-flip, drop-drip etc

**Word family:** ‘and’ band, hand, land, sand, stand, brand, sandal, panda, handle, candy, standing, landed etc.

**Words to learn to write:** we, that, to, and, sand, band, hand, land, stand etc.

**HANDWRITING:**

* Writing letters between lines – getting ready for Year 1.
* Revision of numerals 1-20

**MATHS:**

* Numeral identification and ordering 0-20, extension all 2 digit numbers.
* Numbers before and after 0-20, Extension: numbers before and after 2 digit numbers higher than 20
* Forward counting up to 100. Backward counting from 39 (beginning at different numbers) ext other 2 digit numbers
* Addition/subtraction-combining and separating groups
* Multiplication - Sharing a collection of objects equally
* Patterns and Algebra - counting by 2
* Money-coins & notes

We don’t need reading helpers in the afternoon any more as we have alternative activities planned. Thank you to everyone who helped with reading this year.

**SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY:** unit of study this term is from “Paddock to Plate.”

**OTHER NEWS:**

* News – free choice
* If your child has a library book at home could you please make sure it is returned to school this week.

Thank you.

* Santa hats need to be at school this week. Please write your child’s name on the inside.

* The annual school BBQ is being held this Thursday. The canteen provides a sausage sandwich and a funny face ice block for lunch. You will need to supply your child with a drink. If you are able to help, please see Chris or Liz at the canteen.

* Spellathon Money needs to be returned to the canteen by 9.30 am Friday 28 November to be considered for a prize.

**Watch Out, Wild Things About!**

On Friday 28 November we are having a ‘Wild Things Fun Day’ for Kindergarten as we are studying the text ‘Where the Wild Things Are’. We would like the children to come dressed like Max or a Wild Thing on that day. The aim is to keep it simple so a tail like Max’s or horns like a Wild Thing is all that is required. We are looking forward to having lots of fun on the day.

**The Kindergarten Presentation Assembly:** If you haven’t already done so please complete the form below and return it to school this week.

**Kindergarten Presentation Assembly**

I / We will be attending the Kindergarten Presentation Assembly on Wednesday 5 December at 12 o’clock.

Child’s name: ________________________________ Class: ______

Number of visitors attending ______