

# EYFS Nursery Weekly Newsletter

## Spring Term week 4

### Dates for your Diary

- ◆ Half Term week begins Monday 13th February
- ◆ Nursery Rhyme time assembly - Tuesday 21st March at 3pm
- ◆ Thursday February 9th—Stephanie, a community health worker will be dropping in to the EYFS building. She will be available from 9-10am and will be available to answer any ones questions or worries.



### HOME LEARNING

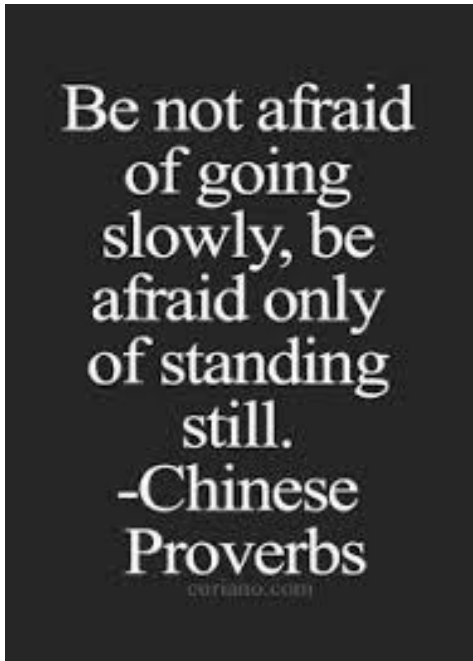
We will be doing lots of counting next week and remembering to give the last number counted when we are asked 'How many is that altogether?' Although children may say their numbers 1-6, for example, as they touch and count they may not then say 6 when asked 'How many altogether.' You can help your child by practicing this at home, you can count the stairs, potatoes on your plate, socks in the wash basket—you can count anything!



Next Week we will be celebrating Chinese New Year. We will be learning about the story behind the naming of the Chinese years. We will be naming different animals and talking about their features . We will also be learning about how the New Year is celebrated. We will be making lanterns and dragons. We will also make a class dragon and be having a dragon dance.

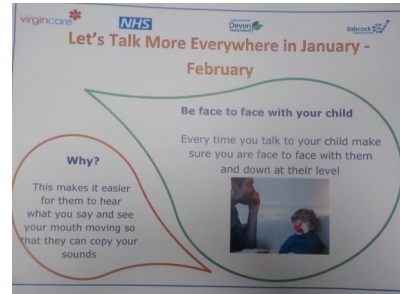


A thought for this  
week.....



## Lets Talk More Everywhere

This is a Devon county initiative to support parents in encouraging their children to talk more. You may have seen the poster in window in the entrance to the EYFS Centre.



A new tip for talk is being published on the 17th of each month. This months tip is:  
Be face to face with your child when you speak to them, down at their level. This makes it easier for them to hear what you say and to see your mouth moving so that they can copy your sounds

**We would love to know if you have noticed your child doing something new at home. Please fill in a WOW moment slip and return it to us. Also, these will be available during reading morning if you would like to fill one in then.**

WOW! I just need to tell you that.....

**WOW!**