

Monday 25th September 2023



Dear Parents, Grandparents and Carers,

Before the cold weather really sets in, we are going to do lots of washing and cleaning this week, based on the story of “Mrs Wishy Washy” who washes all the muddy animals in her tub with a big scrubbing brush and then they all get muddy again! You can watch the story on YouTube: <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=n5JkZuldT3g> There’s some old-fashioned vocabulary to talk about: tub and scrubbing brush. You could re-tell the story at home using farm animal toys (in the bath?) – who was washed first, second and third or first and last?

Our song is based on this story but sung to the tune of “The Hokey Cokey”:

*You put the big cow in, the big cow
out,
In, out, in, out, you scrub it all about.
You do the wishy-washy and you turn around,
And that’s what it’s all about!*

*Whoa-o, the wishy-washy!
Whoa-o, the wishy-washy!
Whoa-o, the wishy-washy!
Knees bend, arms stretch, scrub, scrub, scrub!*

You put the pink pig in, the pink pig out,

You put the small duck in, the small duck out,

In RE we will be looking at conkers and thinking about God the Creator and how He made everything, including us! We will be thinking about our hands and how we can have “Kind Hands” by using them to share or to help one another.

In numeracy, we are focussing on the number 2: two eyes, two feet, two hands! Look for the number two when you are out and about, on a door or on a car number plate. Get them to help match socks and check they are pairs.

Thank you to everyone who has already given their voluntary Nursery Fund contribution; you can pay it weekly or half-termly.



Best wishes from all the Nursery Staff