



In Reception this week...



Week beginning 11/5/26

This week we were inspired when we read '[The Little Red Hen](#)'. In the story, the hen grows wheat to make her own bread. We decided to make bread too. We all helped with the weighing, measuring, mixing and kneading the dough! We were amazed at how much the dough rose when we left it to prove. We all enjoyed a slice of freshly baked bread. Delicious!

In Drawing Club we read, '[Farmer Duck](#)'. Duck has to do all the farm jobs because the farmer stays in bed all day! We had some excellent pictures and writing. The children are trying hard to use words that include recently taught digraphs. In phonics, we recapped oi, ear, air, ure and we learnt '[wh](#)'.



In topic, we talked about the types of fruits and vegetables that grow on farms. We thought about which part of a plant they come from.

We made some super art inspired by [Giuseppe Arcimboldo](#) who used fruits and vegetables to create portraits. Our fruit and vegetable faces were very impressive!

In maths, we have been focusing on pairs of numbers that make 5. This is a key skill that we need to master by the end of Reception. You could ask your child to tell you some ways to make 5.

