

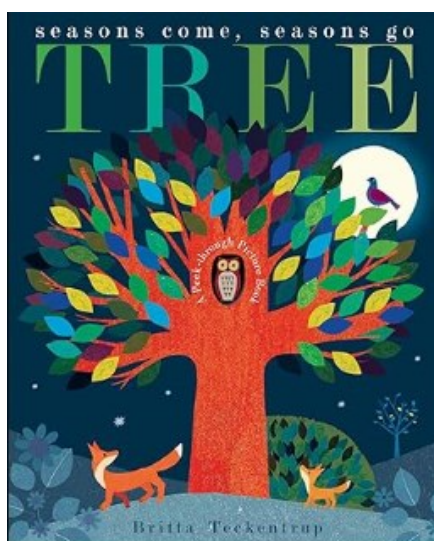
# Welcome to the Reception Newsletter

Friday 1st December 2023

Red, orange, gold, red, orange, gold... Autumn is here!

Round Hill Primary School

## Book of the Week



This is a wonderful and interactive story that talks children through the four seasons along with their characteristics. It is full of lovely language and rhyming words to engage children.

## Maths

This week we have been looking at positional language such as forward, backwards, in front, behind, on top and underneath.

Children have been following instructions outside to complete an obstacle course and making up their own instruction using positional language.

Using the story Rosie's Walk, children have also been designing maps and talking about where the different things are positioned.

## Literacy

Using our 'Book of the Week', Tree by Britta Teckentrup we have spoken about the four seasons, ordered the four seasons and re-told the story using the lovely vocabulary we heard. Children have also been using their knowledge of rhyming words to help retell it.

## Phonics

This week we have been revising the phonemes p,i,n, and m practising our blending and segmenting skills when reading and writing.

## Tricky words

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we  
be

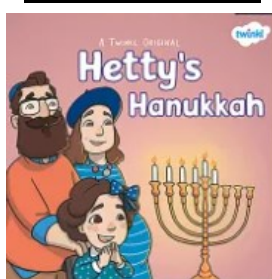
## Understanding the World, Expressive Arts and Design and Physical Development

This week we have been talking about the four seasons, putting them in order and talking about what happens in each one.

Children have been exploring their natural environment, picking different leaves and making wonderful autumnal art work both on a small and big scale.

## Next Week

### Book of the Week



Next week we are focussing on another celebration: Hanukkah. We will be exploring how people around the world celebrate Hanukkah and will identify and discuss any similarities and differences of this celebration to a celebration we take part in.

Daring

Persevering

Dreaming

Together

Reflecting