Dear Families,

It has been such a cold start to the term but the children have loved to hear folk tales of the world as these stories warm our hearts. Sister Fox was very cheeky as she misled kind farming families but to the children’s delight was tricked herself in the end. Students retell narrative content in class, sequencing of events and images through oral language. Then we write short sequences from these stories and read them individually and as a class. Students illustrate stories and as we read them together they recognise a wider range of high frequency words.

Our artistic activities linked to the story including using red and yellow paint to create foxes and ducks. All the children enjoyed using modelling wax and choose which aspect of the story they would like to make. Here is a link to the folk tale: https://russian-crafts.com/tales/sist_fox.html

We are also very excited to be working on our scene for the whole class play and our dance for Spring. Our numeracy studies will come to life in week 4 as we practise writing our sums and meet the Number Farmers and Number Miners. We are already working orally with numbers to 100 but we will be writing our practice sums.
After our class knitted their own sheep we all made one coloured square. Combined together these made a beanie scarf which we entered in the local Beanie Festival. “It’s a work of Art!” exclaimed one festival attendee. “Can I buy it?” asked another. How exciting to be given recognition for our work with a Collaborative Beanie Award and for our accomplishments to be recognised in the wider community.

Just a reminder to please minimise disruptions to our day by sending children with any cutlery they may need as well as their own drink bottle.

Upcoming Dates;

25th August CURRICULUM DAY

15th September. Spring Festival.

16th September Last day of school- early finish