

## Nursery- Talking Time!

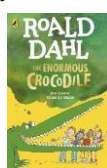
Every week the children will receive a talking piece of homework. This includes our 'Words of the Week', 'Shape of the week', 'Story focus', 'Number of the week' and 'Rhyme of the Week'. We would like you to share these with your child throughout the week, whilst you are in the car, cooking tea, at bath time or before bed!

**Week Beginning: 9<sup>th</sup> January 2023**

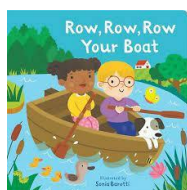
**Words of the week:** enormous, greedy, grin, horrid, clever

Does your child know what these words mean already? Can they use them in a sentence?

**Focus story:** The Enormous Crocodile by Roald Dahl



**Rhyme of the week:** Row, row, row your boat



**Learning enrichment:** Can you make collections of natural materials to investigate and talk about?

**Shape of the week –** semi-circle



What does this shape look like? How many sides does it have? How many corners? Can you find this shape in the environment?

**Number of the week–** 1, one

Can you find this number in your house?

Can you show this amount using a resource?

**100 things to do before you're 6:**

13. Grow a seed into a plant.

**This week your child will...**

Begin our new topic- A land before time. We will be learning all about dinosaurs and the world many years ago.

- Retell the story of 'The Gingerbread Man' during Guided Reading
- Ask a variety of questions about what they would like to find out about our topic
- Identify key features of winter
- Learn about number 1

Please remember: your child will need a PE kit on a Tuesday and a Thursday afternoon. This half term they will be taking part in floor based gymnastics and multi-skills. Please ensure that your child's hair is tied up on these days.

