



Dear Parents,

Our focus this term is - Colour - The Rainbow Fish/ Anti-bullying week

For the week beginning **Monday 13<sup>th</sup> November 2023**

**We will be:**

- Taking part in a variety of activities and Collective Worship for Anti-Bullying Week.
- Creating a friendship recipe
- Maths - circles and triangles
- Talking about the importance of sharing and taking turns
- Exploring colours and creating rainbow twirlers
- In RE, we are beginning to learn the bible story of the Nativity and talking about Mary receiving some good news from angel Gabriel.

Monday 13<sup>th</sup> - Odd Socks Day. Well done to everyone who put on their odd socks. It's to help us understand and symbolises that we are all different and that children should be themselves, accepting of one another and celebrating differences.

Friday 17<sup>th</sup> - Children in Need this year's theme is 'Be Spotacular' - Children may wear something spotty, along with their school uniform and pay a donation on entry to school. There will be a collection bucket at the school gates.

**Family Challenge** We would like to invite the children to take part in a 'Family Challenge'. This is a mini homework project linked to our topic about colour. Below are some ideas of some projects that you may like to do together as a family. Please choose one (or use your own ideas) and bring it into school, week beginning Monday 11<sup>th</sup> December. During that week the children will present their project to everyone in Acorns.

- Junk modelling/collage: create/paint/collage or draw a Rainbow Fish.
- Recite or write a colour poem to perform to the class.
- Try some colour mixing.
- Create your own version of the story of the Rainbow Fish.
- Make a colour collage from different materials.
- Make shadow puppets and experiment with light and dark.
- Create a rainbow picture.

Please let me know if you need any further help.

Kind regards, Miss Fairey and Mrs Dennis