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Monday 9th - Friday 13th November 2026

Dear Parents and Carers,

World Nursery Rhyme Week is fast approaching, and we are delighted to confirm that we will be taking part. The initiative, launched in 2013, promotes the importance of nursery rhymes in early childhood development and education with a particular focus on how nursery rhymes boost early language and literacy skills.

To celebrate the launch of Nursery Rhyme week at Park Hill, we would like to invite all children in Nursery and Reception to **dress up as a character from a nursery rhyme on Tuesday 10th November**. Children will not need to wear their school uniform on this day. Please see below our range of low cost/homemade ideas below, please do not feel that you need to go out and buy a new costume, children can wear their own clothes with a homemade card headband for example but can also wear a shop bought costume if you wish.



Children will take part in a variety of nursery rhyme related activities throughout the week in school. Singing nursery rhymes and reading stories are wonderful activities which you can also enjoy doing together at home. You can access all of the free resources by registering at www.worldnurseryrhymeweek.com.

The focus rhymes for the week will be:

Hickory Dickory Dock
Doctor Foster
Pussy Cat, Pussy Cat
Row, Row, Row Your Boat
1,2,3,4,5 Once I caught a fish alive

We can't wait to celebrate a wonderful week of rhyming!

Thank you for your continued support,
Miss Neale & Mr Booker