



Reception Newsletter

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Dear Parents,

Thank you to the parents who attended our 'Open Sessions' which gives you the opportunity to experience your child learning at school. We still have a few places available for week commencing 14th November. Please see your class teacher if you wish to book onto an open session.

Well Done Assembly:

During the last fortnight these children have been super-stars at school.

Mrs Ritchie's Class:

Tom- For trying his best in Literacy.

Xavier- For sounding out CVC words on his own.

Liam- For having fantastic helping hands and always trying his best.

Katie- For having lovely manners and making good choices.

Miss Harper's Class:

Jack C- For having a good attitude towards his learning.

Jack N- For trying his best in Literacy and recognising more sounds.

Tommy- For always trying his best with his learning and having good manners.

Charley- For trying really hard to sound out CVC words and blend them together.

Mrs Ritchie's Group

Literacy:

Gruffalos and Superworms: These children are focusing on independently blending words with diagraphs 'sh', 'ch' 'th' 'qu' 'ng' 'nk'. The children are using magnetic letters to make words e.g. thin, chip, shop, ring, sank, quit etc.

Tiddlers and Zogs: The children in these groups are focusing on independently sounding out CVC words and blending the sounds together. E.g. 'p-o-t' = pot. How many CVC words can children sound out at home?

Maths: During the last two weeks the children in my Maths group have been focusing on comparing two groups of objects, which one has more? Which one has less? The children have also begun to learn about addition.

Miss Harper's Group

Literacy:

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Tiddlers and Zogs: These children are focusing on recognising and forming the first 15 sounds (m,a,s,d,t,i,n,p,g,o,c,k,u,b,x) Can children find these sounds in books they read at home? Children have also been listening blending CVC words as Miss Harper sounds them out.

Maths: The children have been learning to add two numbers together to find a total and writing it as a number sentence using the correct signs. They have been using Numicom pieces to learn number bonds to 10. Can children write number sentences in their home learning books?

Important Information

We are currently trying to create a 'Mud Kitchen' on our playground. If you would like to donate any pots, pans, metal sieves, spoons, ladles or baking trays it would be greatly appreciated.

If your child has received achievements outside of school in dance, Taekwondo, Football or any other activities please let us know so we can share this on our newsletter.

Home Learning

Just a reminder to use the reading journals when your child has read at home. Please can you write a short message on how they got on. Did they enjoy the story? Did they find it too easy or too hard? Was there a particular word they found tricky?

