

Week ending: 7th February 2020

Reception weekly newsletter

This week we have been learning:

- Using the new sounds j, w and z and using them to build words to read and write alongside the sounds we have learnt previously during phonics.
- Practising reading our everyday words: 'come', 'some', 'are' and 'all' and writing our everyday words: 'the', 'like', 'was' and 'went'
- Reading our story of the week 'The day the crayons quit'
- Learning about the number 8,
- Meeting our community police officer and learning about what the police do (Tuesday 4th February)
- Having a visit from 'Singing Hands,' learning signing to familiar nursery rhymes and songs (Friday 7th February)
- All about colour mixing using powder paints
- Making rainbow fruit kebabs
- During PE, developing our balance and movement skills with equipment such as space hoppers, bunny hopping along benches, negotiating a simple obstacle course and persevering with our skipping ropes.

Next week we will be learning:

- how to use the sounds we have learnt so far, to build words to read and write.
- to read and write our everyday words 'come' 'some' 'like' 'all' 'are'
- Reading our story of the week "The Great Paper Caper".
- how to follow instructions to make a paper areoplane and measuring how far our areoplane can fly.
- Learning about the number 9 and the different ways we can represent 9.
- different numbers that total 9.
- decorating biscuits for someone they love.
- Continuing to find different ways to travel across different equipment.
- about recycling and how we can look after our enviroment

Some important information and reminders:

- Reception will be visiting the library week commencing 2nd March. **Class 1 and 2 will be going on the 2nd March in the morning. Class 4 will be going on the 3rd March in afternoon and class 3 will be going on the 4th March in the morning.** A separate letter will be sent out shortly. Please look out for this and let your child's teacher know if you are able to accompany your child's class on this trip.
- World book day is on the 5th March. This will be a dress-up day. The theme for this will be confirmed soon.
- School will finish on 14th February at 3pm for half term. Children return on Monday 24th February.

Question of the week.

What types of materials do you recycle at home?

Learning at Home

Can a grown-up help you write some instructions for something you enjoy doing at home? Can you think of any more examples of instructions?