The Reception Round-up!

Some of the lovely things we have been learning this week: SO proud of everyone's hard work!



Maths:

Next week we will be teaching the children their number bonds to 10. We hope the children will have a quick mental recall of them. E.g. 5 and 5, 8 and 2, 7 and 3 etc

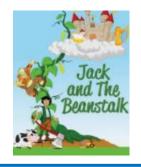
Phonics:

We decided to spend this week recapping previous sounds. So next week we will be teaching:

Sounds			
oi		ear	
Pre-cursive formation			
j	У	f	k
so do some			

Something to work on

The children are getting very good recognising their sounds. Any practice you can do with your child to read words that have the digraphs in e.g. sh ee p = 'sheep' and ch i ck = 'chick' would be really helpful as some children are sounding these out like s h e e p without recognising the digraphs in them.



Topic:

We will be reading 'Jack and the Beanstalk' and discussing how the characters felt at different points in the story. The children will plant a bean during Wonderful Wellies and later in the week we will read 'Jim and the Beanstalk' and compare the books — similarities and differences. It would be wonderful if you could practice at home, your child re-telling 'Jack and the Beanstalk'.

What's going on this week/notices/information:

<u>Homework:</u> We wanted to give the children the chance to settled back this week. Next Thursday we will begin setting homework again. Please can you send your child in with their yellow homework book on **Monday** if you still have it at home. Each Monday homework is due in.

<u>Toast:</u> From next week your child doesn't need to bring a snack in each day, but instead a £1 coin on a Monday which will pay for their toast each day for the week.

<u>Names in clothing:</u> Please double check you have your child's name clearly in each item of clothing. Many names have faded or are not clear or there at all. It will greatly help the speed in which we can give these items out and help you not to lose anything in school. Thank you so much.

Bookbags: We have a new area that the children are putting their book bags in. It would be really helpful for them to have an easily identifiable key ring on their book bag, to help them identify it easily. Thank you.

<u>Wellies:</u> Please remember to send your child to school with their wellies please. <u>Willow</u> on <u>Wednesday</u> and <u>Cherry</u> on <u>Friday</u>. Thank you.