

# Reception Weekly Round-Up!

## Friday 23<sup>rd</sup> February 2024

We have had such an egg-citing week in Reception! We had some special eggs arrive on Monday and by Friday, we had 8 little fluffy chicks!

The children have been fascinated by their development, watching them every day and noticing how they change. Next week, the children will be able to hold the chicks and give them a gentle cuddle if they want to.



Next week in Reception...



### Maths:

In Maths, we will be practising counting to 20 and beyond and thinking about the number pattern after 20. We will also be making sure we count every number between 10 and 20. We will also be ordering numbers to 10 whilst focusing on the composition of number 8.



### Phonics:

In Phonics, we are learning some more new digraphs.

The digraphs this week are:

**'th' and 'ng'**

Please help the children to find objects in your home or think of objects that begin with these sounds.

**Please practise writing these sounds at home too.**

### Topic:

This week, we had some very special eggs arrive. By Friday we had 8 fluffy little chicks! The children have been watching them hatch and grow all week.

Next week, we will be continuing our learning about chicks and the children will have the opportunity to hold them!



How exciting!

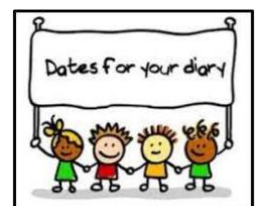


### Messages from Miss Stanley, Mrs Vallins and Mrs Gray:

- Remember to log into 'Seesaw' to see photos of the children and what they have been up to this week!
- Please send your child into school with a spare change of clothes to have on their peg in a named bag so they can get changed if they get wet or cold.
- P.E. days **CHERRY – MONDAY, TUESDAY AND FRIDAY** **WILLOW – MONDAY, THURSDAY AND FRIDAY**
- Homework books – please make sure your child's homework book comes back into school every Monday.
- Water bottle reminder – please can the children only have **WATER** in their waterbottles. **No squash please.**
- Lots of children are bringing toys into school. Please can these stay at home as they can get lost at school and this can be very upsetting for the children. We have lots of toys at school for the children to play with.**
- READING REMINDER – PLEASE TRY TO READ WITH YOUR CHILD EVERY NIGHT – LITTLE AND OFTEN IS THE BEST WAY!**

### Dates for the diary:

Reception Heights and Weights in School – Wednesday 28<sup>th</sup> February @ 9am  
 World Book Day – Wednesday 7<sup>th</sup> March  
 Reception Trip to 'St. John's Museum' – Wednesday 13<sup>th</sup> March @ 9am  
 Emscote Church Service – Thursday 14<sup>th</sup> March @ 9am  
 Reception Easter Craft Day with parents/grown-ups – Friday 22<sup>nd</sup> March  
 Easter Holidays – Monday 25<sup>th</sup> March to Friday 5<sup>th</sup> April  
 Back 2 School – Monday 8<sup>th</sup> April



If you need to speak with us, you can catch us at the end of the school day or email the school office on [admin2332@welearn365.com](mailto:admin2332@welearn365.com)  
 Have a lovely weekend!

Miss Stanley, Mrs Vallins and Mrs Gray and the Reception Team.