



Reception end of Summer 1 Newsletter

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This newsletter is to celebrate and share some of the learning that Reception has been doing over this half term.

Our topic has been 'Minbeasts/lifecycles'



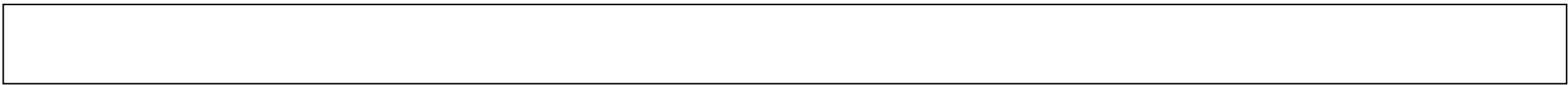
We have had a very busy, exciting and memorable half term! The children have been learning lots and enjoying their experiences at school.

We went on a trip to Woodside Farm and had an amazing time. We fed and touched some animals, we went in the soft play and we had a ride on a tractor.



We learnt about 3d shapes, we looked at how many corners they have and if they have flat or curved faces we then experimented to see if they could roll or slide down a ramp.

We learnt about the life cycle of a butterfly and watched the experiences 1st hand. We had caterpillars in the classroom, we watched them spin their cocoon and emerge as butterflies.



We had a 'fairytale' drama workshop with 'Perform' it was lots of fun acting and dancing.



For our Fabulous Finish activity where we made a healthy Hungry Caterpillar fruit kebab with our Parents or Grandparents.



Celebrating Awesome Attendance

Congratulations to the following children in Reception who have achieved awesome attendance this half term at 93% or above. All the children who have been highlighted have achieved 100% attendance this half term WOW! Well done!

RMS		RSN			
Harun Elizabeth	Sudais	Amyr	Ausha	Nazrana	
Denis	Tulsi	Sama	Linia	Rukaya	
Philp	David	Noah	Muhammad	Reda	Daria
Amira	Arianna	Surprise	Dhanush	Rebecca	
Joseph	Terence	Mahdia	Marwa	Stefania	
Ayushiba Vianna		Jiyaan	Nicholas	Advik	
Clarissa		Linda			
Heisi					
Pranvit	Diana				

Congratulations to you all - keep it up, let's hope that we have even more children next half term! ☺

Attendance news for Summer 1: A massive well done to all the children above who have had 93% or above attendance this half term. The children highlighted in yellow had 100% attendance which is outstanding!

Let's work together to improve the attendance of all the Reception children.

95%	47 LESSONS MISSED EACH YEAR 8 days in total or 1 week and 3 days	ATTENDANCE MATTERS WHAT DO YOUR ATTENDANCE FIGURES ACTUALLY MEAN? BE SMART BE THERE! <small>Percentages based on 190 academic days</small>
90%	95 LESSONS MISSED EACH YEAR 16 days in total or 3 weeks and 1 day	
85%	142 LESSONS MISSED EACH YEAR 24 days in total or 4 weeks and 4 days	
80%	190 LESSONS MISSED EACH YEAR 32 days in total or 6 weeks and 2 days	



We had such good fun during our 'Pyjama, Movie and Munch' evening where we watched 'A Bug's Life' had popcorn, biscuits, tortilla chips, cake and juice. Most importantly we created a memorable experience for the children and we thank you for supporting our fundraising event.



Our Learning behaviours





The following children have been 'STAR of the week' this half term,
well done!

RMS: Sarah, Swara, Elizabeth, Amira.

RSN: Jiyaan Dhanush Surprise Nazrana



The following children have been 'SUPER STAR writers of the week'
this half term, well done!

RMS: Arianna, Billy, Sudais, Zakaria, Achim, Heisi, Ethan, Diana,
Harun, Ayushiba

RSN: Iosif Daria Muhammad Linia Sama Jiyaan Dhanush Surprise



A massive congratulations to all the children who received a reading treat from Mrs Ogle for reading regularly, thank you to all the Parents who have been signing their child's reading records at least 3 times a week. Regular reading really does support your child's reading development.



Reminders

Remember to log onto your child's Collins e-book account and support your child to read their book – all logins are at the front of your child's reading record, please see a member of staff if you're having difficulty logging on.

Our 'Super Start' to our new topic will for you to support your child to decorate the stone they took home with their favourite colour or as a rainbow so we can create a rainbow fish in our EYFS garden. 😊

- Please support your child to learn to read their tricky words once they know their words then they will get a stamp and a prize.
- All reading for pleasure library books will be changed every Friday, please ensure that your child has their book in their bag ready to choose another book to share with you at home. All extra Phonics books will be changed every 2 weeks on a Thursday
Please remember to support your child each week to practise reading and writing the sounds, words and sentences on the weekly Phonics homework sheet.

RMS and RSN PE days are every Thursday – please ensure that your child comes into school dressed in their full PE kit on this day. Every Friday ALL children must wear school tracksuit bottoms or school trousers for their balance bike sessions.

- Please email any photos of places you visit in the holidays to Jenni and mark for the attention of Miss Stephens or Mrs Nedyalkov we would love to see them and it provides opportunities for your child to share what they have been doing at home.

Over this half term we have been learning lots, we're very proud of all your children and how they've progressed over this half term they really have been trying their best and being the best they can be!

Coming Soon We will be having a delivery of 'eggs' on Tuesday 4th June which we will watch hatch into chicks. Sports Day will be on Friday 5th July. We will be having you as parents into school to celebrate our fabulous finish activity details to follow. Fathers Day – 'Donuts for Dads' will be on Wednesday 12th June.

Our topic next half term will be 'Water'

Our story time bear Bertie will continue to come home with different children every Friday to spend the weekend with them to promote reading for pleasure.

Parent Workshops next half term: We will be inviting you into school for our 'Fabulous Finish' event details to follow 😊

Fundraising Events: Summer Social which will be held on Monday 15th July @ 2:00pm until 4:40pm