



Reception Report - Week 1

Weekly update from Ms Lilley's reception class.

Dear parents and carers,

Welcome back and I hope you are all well.

A huge thank you to all of the families that engaged with Class Dojo during our school's closure. It was lovely to see the children working so hard following reception activities that had been set to keep learning moving forward. It was a pleasure to send feedback to each and every one of the children that submitted work. Well done! 😊

This half term we will be thinking about 'People who help us' beginning with Fire Fighters with links to bonfire night and firework safety. We will be making loose part poppy pictures to help us to know about fallen soldiers in conflicts past and present. We will begin to notice that the nights will be darker earlier and later in the term we will begin to think about Winter and begin Christmas preparations.

Mathematics

This week we will be thinking about 'Representing numbers 1, 2 and 3'. Children will identify representations 1, 2 and 3. They will subitise or count to find out how many and make their own collections of 1, 2 or 3 objects. They will match number names we say to numerals and quantities. They count up to 3 objects in different arrangements by touching each object as they count and recognise that the final number, they say names the number in the set. They will use their own mark making to represent numbers 1, 2 and 3.

Maths Bags to be returned TUESDAY.

Many thanks

Communication/ Language and Literacy

This week the children will be learning the letter sounds, names and formation of Ii and Uu. The children will be blending three letter words such as is in, sip, fit, hit, him and hug and we will be thinking about rhymes -it and -ug. We will be introducing the High Frequency tricky work 'of'. The children will begin a program of work mark making/ writing in our role play area which we will be turning into a 'Fire Station'. This play will be linked to bon fire night and safety around fireworks.

Classroom Library Books to be returned TUESDAY.

Many thanks

Physical Development

This half term the children will begin a new physical development program called 'Tatty Bumpkin'. A fun, creative, Yoga inspired class for children to encourage movement, enhance development and inspire confidence. Tatty Bumpkin will be delivered every Monday by an outside provider supported by Ms Lilley. Please ensure your child continues to come to school wearing their PE on a Monday. Many Thanks 😊

Personal and Social Development

On a Monday morning after break Mrs Wray will begin to deliver a new program of work for this half term called 'Out for our children' which will engage our youngest children in learning about difference.

Understanding the world

On a Monday morning before break Miss Swan will begin to deliver a new program of work for this half term called 'Night and day'. She will be focusing on seasonal changes, routines and nocturnal animals. Miss Swam will also be sharing stories such as 'Sleep tight little bear' and 'Owl babies'.

Warmest regards,

The EYFS Team