



Reception Newsletter Week 21.09.18

Our Learning: This Terms topic is 'Marvellous Me'

This week

In Literacy we have been trying to hear the initial sound in words and have a go at writing the sound. e.g. 'm for mat' 's for sun' 't for tap'. We have been practicing writing our names in cursive.

In Maths we have been recognizing and ordering numbers and doing lots of counting (remembering to touch the object as we say each number)

We have been learning the school rules and routines and have made class rule books.

How you can help at home

Encourage your child to

Keep encourage your child to write their name in cursive focus on 1 or 2 letters at a time.

Play I spy to encourage your child to hear the initial sounds in words.

Say the initial sound in words e.g. c c cat d d dog.

Requests/Other Information

- We are finding lots of jumpers and cardigans are not named. Please please label your child's clothes. If the clothes are labelled they can then be easily returned to the right class.
- Please make sure you have signed up for your child to have hot dinners www.thepantrycatering.co.uk
- Next week the children will be full time 8.50-3.20. Some children will be fine with the transition to full day in reception, some may struggle at first. They have all done really well with half days and we feel they are ready for full days. They will be very tired after school as they get use to being here all day.
- Please can we ask you not to be on your mobile phone at pick up. Your child's class teacher may need to talk to you. Ask your child what they have been doing in school (it is normal for them to say nothing!) if they say nothing ou could ask them to think of 1 thing they did or enjoyed. They may not feel like talking straight after school if this is the case ask them at dinner time or bath time about their day
- Don't forget children need a water bottle each day.

Dates and Reminders

24th children are in full time 8.50 - 3.20

PE days (when full time)

Tuesday- Owls

Thursday - Puffins

Friday - Deers

This term our topic is is Marvelous Me we would like the children to bring in 1 object or photo to talk about it if they wish to. Please bring in named objects for next week.

If you haven't done so already please remember to bring in your child's Marvellous Me poster if you need another piece of a4 coloured card please talk to your child's teacher