



Reception Newsflash



Topic – We are Bakers

Friday 23rd October 2020

Reception Weekly News

This week we finished reading our story, 'The Gingerbread Man', completing our class story map. Mrs and Mrs Baker invited us to a cake competition and we created cakes in the play dough and creative area, using a variety of materials to decorate the cakes.

In Phonics we have introduced the letters: i, n, m, d Identifying the grapheme in words and then saying the corresponding phoneme in order to blend and read simple cvc words i.e tip, pan, din and also segment words in order to begin to spell and write cvc words.

Thank you for all the lovely celebration photographs that you have sent in. We have used these to discuss different types of celebrations that families can attend thought out the year.

In Maths, we have been investigating halving, understanding what this concept involves, and developing knowledge of how to halve 2 and 4. This links to the children's previous knowledge of doubling numbers and developing number facts.

Weekly Home Learning Challenges

Half Term Challenges:

Can you practise your letter formation of i, n, m, d and last week's grapheme s, a, t, p?

Can you find objects at home with the initial sounds of i, n, m and d?

Can you draw your own story map for the Gingerbread Man, detailing his journey from Mr and Mrs Baker to the fox?

Can you read an online book at least 3 times next week, and record this in your Reading Record.

Can you practise your number formation of numerals 0 to 9?

Send us your work via your class email address

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Important Information

Autumn Term 2 begins on Monday 2nd November 2020.

Thank you for attending our virtual Phonics Workshop on Thursday, we hope you found it useful and informative. Any questions please email via the class selfie address.

Virtual Parents' Evenings, dates are below, appointments will be available soon and will be made via the app.

9th November 4pm - 7.00pm 12th November 4pm - 7.00pm

This week we have assigned two pink band books for your child to share with you at home. These do have words in them so the children can begin to identify the phoneme associated with the grapheme (PGC) and blend the words together with your support.

Please write in your child's Reading Record at least 3 times per week. Write the date, title of the book and a brief comment on your child's response to the story. As discussed at our Phonics Workshop, we will be looking at diaries on a daily basis with class Dojo's being awarded for home reading. Each week those children who have read 3 times or more will receive a Golden Ticket stamp and take part in a special reward such as extra play on the Trim Trail or playing board games. Golden Ticket will take place each Wednesday so it is important for your child to have read at least 3 times by Wednesday.