

The Reception Round-up!

Some of the lovely things we have been learning this week:

Happy New Year! Not the start we had hoped for, but oh my word, the children have made us **so** proud this week. Their interaction on the Zooms and the work they have been doing at home is outstanding! It is so wonderful for us to see! Then there are the children that have come into school with big smiles on their faces and been superstars working so hard too!



Some of the things the new children might experience next week:



We will be reading the book, 'Handa's Surprise' and learning about Foods from around the World. Some R.E. and PSED sessions too.

Next week we will be teaching:

Sounds		
qu		ch
Pre-cursive formation		
i	l	t

Next weeks keywords to learn:

I	no	the
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Please help your child to learn to read these words and then learn to spell and write them. They are important for their writing development as they are frequently used words and the children can't use their phonics to help them spell these words.

Sign of the week!

Next weeks sign will be 'book':



What's going on this week/notices/information:

Handwriting: <https://teachhandwriting.co.uk/route-d-letter-choice-3-ks1.html> This is a useful link to explore at home, particularly if there are any letters your child is struggling to form using pre-cursive. It has worksheets you can print, too.

PE: For the children at home we recommend Joe Wicks at 9am on Monday, Wednesday and Friday mornings. Or Cosmic Yoga is a good website. In school, the children can wear their PE kits on a Tuesday and Wednesday please. They will need their Wellies on a Wednesday please.

I just want to take this opportunity to thank you parents/carers at home who are doing such an admirable job of supporting your child/ren with their home schooling and lots of you are working too. We understand that everyone is under huge strain at the moment and hopes for normality once again. But all we can all do is our best. Thank you too to our Key Worker parents who are playing their part towards the Covid effort. Have a lovely, hopefully restful weekend.