

Reception News

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This week

We have had a fantastic week in reception learning all about healthy food choices! The children explored different fruit and vegetables by making fruit faces, inspired by Italian artist Guiseppe Arcimboldo, blending their own smoothies and making their own sandwiches. The children also learnt about the Islamic celebration of Eid (which was also observed by some of our children at home) and discussed similarities between this religious festival and others they have already learnt about or experienced. In number, the children learnt about the new secret number 18 and focused on counting back. It was also Mental Health Awareness Week with a focus on nature.

Phonics

Ashleigh's group

Ashleigh's group did lots of reading this week! They looked at words in captions, with a focus on the sounds or (fork), ur (burp) and ow (down). They also learnt the new tricky words 'all' and 'you'. Ashleigh is super proud of all of the children in her group for using their robot talk to read unfamiliar words!

Philippa's group

Philippa's group learnt about the difference between a caption and a sentence (why don't you ask your children to explain?), practised letter formation and played an exciting game of phonics bingo!

Bethan's group

Bethan's group has been practising reading and writing words ending with, or beginning with, adjacent consonants (hump, pond, toast; frog, drum, clap). They also learnt the new tricky words 'one' and 'little' and worked really well together to label a picture in pairs.

Katrina's Group

Katrina's group reviewed the sounds l and j and practised reading these within CVC words (consonant-vowel-consonant) such as 'jam' and 'leg'. They played phonics bingo and phonics noughts and crosses, which provided the children with lots of opportunities to robot talk and blend.

Requests and Thank Yous:

Class Contributions

Thank you very much to all those families who have kindly returned your envelopes with contributions to class resources.

Wood, bottle tops and junk modelling

Thank you so much for the donations you have made! We are always in need of more so please keep them coming.

Spare trousers

We would be grateful if you could return any spare clothing that your child may have borrowed from school. Similarly, if you can spare any trousers, aged 4-6, we would welcome donations to replenish our spare clothing store.

Art Team

As part of our outdoor project, we'd like to set up a team of art enthusiasts who could spare some time to help decorate our new outdoor area. We already have a couple of parents who are interested so if you would like to join this group, please email info@kilmorie.lewisham.sch.uk and mark it for the attention of Ashleigh. Thanks!

Best wishes,

The Reception Team