

Reception Newsletter



Dear Parents and Carers,

Friday 2nd March 2018

We would like to start by thanking parents/grandparents etc for turning up to our Family Event afternoon. Both teaching staff and children enjoy having you in our class and being involved in the different activities.

You may have noticed we have set up a Farm Shop in our classroom. This is to link with this half terms topic of Animals. We have discussed the different places animals could live and also the way in which some animals can help us, e.g. guide dogs. This week we have focused on animals we can have in our home as a pet. The children have enjoyed talking about their pets or about a pet they would like. We linked this to our writing focusing on sentence structure. Each week we will look at a different habitat and which animals would live there, such as the farm, zoo and jungle. If your child would like to bring in a picture of their pet to show to their class friends we would enjoy looking at them.

This week we updated our height chart on our classroom wall. The children were interested and excited to see how much they have grown since September. We have also been comparing lengths in our Maths lessons using the words 'longer' and 'shorter'. Check out Education City, they have activities relating to this area.

What a fantastic turn out for World Book Day. All the children looked fantastic and enjoyed the day and sharing their books in class. We had an assembly with the Altru Drama Group and they will be back in school on Monday to complete a drama workshop with Reception Children. Pictures will be put on Twitter as have pictures from World Book Day.

Next week's forecast is still set to be cold, if you can make sure children have their hats, scarves and gloves for when they go out to play.

Have a good weekend.

Reception Staff.