

Reception Newsletter



Dear Parents / Guardians,

Friday 10th May 2019

It has been nearly 50 years since Neil Armstrong landed on the moon (July 1969). With this in mind and following the children's interests we have begun a 'space' topic. As a class we made a 'mind map' of all our space knowledge. The children then used this to write what they knew about space. We will continue this topic over the next couple of weeks.

In Numeracy, the children have independently been ordering objects *shortest to longest*. They have also used shape stamps to create 2 and 3 sequence repeated patterns.



Our phonic activities have included rhyming words and creating rhyming strings e.g. cat, mat, pat, pan, ran, rat (back to cat). Rhyming can be a tricky concept to grasp. If you can think of rhyming words at home with your child so they are hearing rhyming words more and more it will become easier for them to understand.

On Wednesday we worked with James from Classroom Kitchen. We discussed the different foods that keep us healthy and the children made their own fruit salad. Chopping their own fruit very sensibly.

Mr Lucas has been helping us with our family assembly songs and is very impressed with how quickly the children are learning them.

Mrs Jones' class made us very proud and we thoroughly enjoyed their family assembly. We look forward to seeing you at our assembly next week.

A polite reminder that toys are to stay at home. Children become upset if they are lost or go missing.



Diary Dates

Friday 17th May: RM Family Assembly
Thursday 23rd May: Polling Day- school closed.

Enjoy the weekend.

Miss Melling

Miss Waltho

Miss Williams