

Reception Class Newsletter

14th March 2025

Dear Parents and Carers,

Following Book Week have a look at the school website where you will find the whole school book based on the mystery of the stolen orb. Each class throughout the school contributed and it is definitely worth a read.

Staff talked with the children about the importance of Road Safety following "Wear Blue for Bobby" on Monday.

With this week being Science Week the children had the opportunity to touch and find out about small animals with a visit on Wednesday from Boo's Mobile Zoo. Thanks to Mrs Bennett, the school Science Lead for arranging this. To be given the opportunity to be so close is such a worthwhile experience especially for those children who may not have had this experience before. There was a long snake, 2 meerkats and 4 guinea pigs! The children knew they had to stay really quiet so not to scare the animals and to be very gentle too when touching following the guidance given.

In Maths this week the focus has remained on the composition of 9 and 10 and the arrangements of numbers which make these numbers. Bonds to 9 and 10 will form the foundation of future maths learning as the children move through the school. It is so important to build strong foundations on which future learning can build. Some children are really picking this up well. Maybe at home collect 10 objects and split them in different ways, 1 and 9, 2 and 8, 3 and 7 and so on.

A reminder that Friday 21st March is **Red Nose Day**. Children can come to school wearing either: **red own clothes, an 80's inspired outfit, crazy hair!**

Many thanks for your support,

Reception Staff