



This week in Raccoon class...



We have had a fantastic first full week of learning this week; the children have shown how resilient they are to eat lunch in the hall and although we could tell how tired some were, they managed to stay until 3.15pm! We have completed all of our baseline assessments this week which is a nationwide task. We have also been getting to know your children, making sure they understand the classroom routines and expectations. Next week we will start with our first focus text, **The Colour Monster**, as well as our first daily phonics sessions.



Please save the date for a phonics workshop on Wednesday 27th September at 2.30pm. Please sign in at the office and we will share how we teach phonics, the resources that we use and how you can best support your child at home.

Congratulations to Niamh and Olive on receiving our star learner awards in Friday's assembly for display super respect.



The children are working hard to follow our rules and routines in Raccoon class. We have noted some super learning behaviours when sitting on our class carpets.

There were multiple items of clothing that were not named on Wednesday and the children struggled to remember what they had worn! Please make sure that **EVERYTHING** is labelled - even school shoes! Legs and arms must be covered for protection in the forest - even when the weather is warm.

Little Wandle - Letters and Sounds

Reception Phonics Home Learning



Phase 2 - Autumn 1 Week 1
Focus - Phonemes s / a / t / p

Please support your child to practise and reinforce the phonemes and graphemes we are learning in school. More information and support can be found on the Little Wandle website - <https://www.littlewandlelettersandsounds.org.uk/resources/for-parents/>

Phonemes we will be focusing on this week in school -



Pronunciation Phrase - s

Show your teeth and let
the s hiss out sssss



Pronunciation Phrase - a

Open your mouth wide
and make the a sound at
the back of your mouth a
a a



Pronunciation Phrase - t

Open your lips; put the tip
of your tongue behind your
teeth and press t t t



Pronunciation Phrase - p

Bring your lips together,
push them open and say p
p p

We will be orally blending words. Can you hear the phonemes in these words? Can you listen and then repeat the word?

s - a - t

t - a - p

s - a - p

p - a - t

a - t