



Week 2 in Raccoon class 10th-14th June



Our new focus book this week is the traditional tale of 'The Gingerbread Man'. Our enhancements during busy learning will link to this and our drawing club sentence writing will be based on the main characters, the setting and then we will have 'adventure time' before writing about it.

Our first week of using rekenreks to support our maths learning was really positive. This week we will continue to use them as we review and deepen the children's understanding of how to compare quantities. We need to encourage the use of 'fewer' when talking about countable things e.g. "I have fewer cubes than you", and 'less than' when talking about a number's position in the counting sequence e.g. "4 is less than 6 on our number track".

Lots of children brought either no kit or the wrong kit for Wednesday afternoon last week. Please ensure Rosie Raccoons have forest school kit - arms and legs must be covered. Ricky Raccoons need an outdoor PE kit. Thank you for your support with this.

Congratulations to our star learners George and Zachary for receiving our respect award last week. Well done to Ariella for being our writer of the week; her work is now proudly displayed in the school hall.



Little Wandle - Letters and Sounds

Reception Phonics Home Learning



Phase 4 - Summer 2 Week 2

Focus - Long vowel sounds in words

Phonemes we will be focusing on this week in school -

s	a	t	i	n	m	d	g
o	c	k	ck	e	u	r	h
b	f	l	ff	ll	ss	j	v
w	x	y	z	zz	qu	ch	sh
th	ng	nk	ai	ee	igh	oa	oo/oo
ar	or	ur	ow	oi	ear	air	er

Please support your child by blending these weekly words at home:

street	screen	stair	strong
three	scoop	free	clear
slight	smear	spoil	clown

Please support your child with their recall of these tricky words:

are pure sure little were was

As the weather improves please continue to ensure your child brings a named water bottle, a named sun hat and has sun cream applied at home each day. On the warmer days we do not allow the children outside without wearing a hat. We have a small collection of spare hats available in school but would prefer it if the children bring their own.

Advanced Notices:

Tuesday 18th June, 2pm - Gruffalo reading café

Tuesday 25th June - Little City are visiting our class

Tuesday 2nd July, 2.45pm - our class assembly