

Reception Class Weekly Newsletter

Friday 10th July 2026

This week...

- ✓ Our key text has been "Duffy's Lucky Escape". This was a true story about a turtle who had been saved after being very sick.
- ✓ We learnt lots of facts about sea turtles and made our own little sea turtles using our amazing cutting and joining skills.
- ✓ We began to plan our sculpture project inspired by artist Michelle Reader - thanks for the bottle donations, we have plenty to keep us going now!
- ✓ On weds afternoon we buddied up with Year 4 and spent the afternoon playing games on the big field. We had lots of fun!
- ✓ We have been busy with lots of lovely writing this week. It's wonderful to see our progress in writing.
- ✓ We listened to the story of the Rainbow fish and discussed the importance of kindness and compassion. This led us into talking about how we need to share and how we make friends.
- ✓ We all decorated our own rainbow fish and talked about what the word 'shoal' meant. We decided that our class is like a shoal and we will all be swimming off to Year 1, feeling brave because we have got each other.



Next week...

- Our Art project continues!
- All library and reading books will be collected in.
- We will be watching the year 6 play!
- We will be reflecting on our Reception class memories - and looking through our work and photos of 'our best bits'!

Jobs for the weekend!

- Practise your reading book - books will be collected for good from Monday 13th July. We will be auditing all the books ready for the new school year.
- We have lots of bottles for our artwork now, but we do need donations of pots, tubs and lids.

You can email photos of your home learning and weekend adventures to: admin@cdatstpaulsprimary.co.uk

Diary dates:

PE is Tuesdays and Fridays.
Library books get changed every week.
Reading books changed on Fridays if diaries are signed.

Reminders and other info

- Bring water bottles, hats, reading bags every day.
- Teddy Bears picnic Weds 22nd July - letter sent home.
- School closes on Thursday 23rd July 3:15pm. We will have our leavers service in church at 9:15, saying goodbye to the year 6 class and some staff members.

Have a wonderful weekend!

Mrs Owen and Miss Webster

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