

EYFS NEWSLETTER



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World Book Day fun!

In nursery, the children have started their Eid crafts. This week, we have been making colourful prayer beads, which provided the children with a fantastic opportunity to practise their fine motor skills. In celebration of World Book Day, our word of the week this week was Fairy Tale. The Makaton sign for fairy tale is quite fun - ask your children to demonstrate.

We have read lots and lots of books together this week. We have also been reviewing our previous learning in phonics and maths to see how much the children can remember. We are very impressed with the progress they are making.

This week in Reception we had a wonderful time celebrating World Book Day. The children attended their very first whole-school assembly where we sang a song about books and listened to Miss Baker read *I Want My Hat Back* by Jon Klassen. Back in class we enjoyed sharing lots of our favourite stories and recited *The Gingerbread Man* together. A special well done to Nour, who confidently came to the front to perform the story for the whole class. The children's costumes were fantastic - thank you to parents for all your wonderful efforts, and a special mention to Sidney's mum for creating an amazing dragon costume!

Mr Pottinger and I have also been quietly carrying out some maths assessments this week (the children didn't realise!). We were delighted with the progress they have made. Please do keep practising number bonds to 5 and 10 as it is making a huge difference!

Our chicks continue to grow and develop in the incubator, and the children have loved observing the changes. We learnt that the chicks are beginning to grow their beaks, combs and feathers. We have also enjoyed spending time outside in the sunshine this week, making the most of the lovely weather.



Dates for your diary

- Nursery Spring Walk - Tuesday 24th March
- Reception Poetry Recital - Thursday 26th March 2:15pm

