

Reception Newsletter

Friday 2nd February 2018

Dear Parents/Carers,

This week in Reception we learnt about...

Phonics: We all practised different sounds.

Miss Godfrey's group (e,u,r,ck)

Miss C's group (ch,sh,th,ng)

Miss Cantwell's group (oa, oo, ar)

Literacy: The children changed the characters in our story from goats to rabbits and created character descriptions writing adjectives to describe the new characters.

Key Vocabulary: new, describe, furry, kind, characters, change

Numeracy:

The children went on a number hunt and were introduced to the mathematical symbol for subtraction and learnt about what the symbol means.

Key Vocabulary: less, minus, subtract, find, match, how many, left.

Topic:

The children were very sensible when skyping Hartsbourne Reception class and came up with some wonderful questions to ask. Then learnt about what the other reception class was learning about and their favourite game and song to sing.



This is what Reception will be learning about next week:

As a class we are going to celebrate Chinese New Year and will be making and tasting wontons.

We will make Chinese lanterns and learn about Chinese culture and even have a special guest coming in to teach our class Chinese songs.

☺ **Here are some activities you might like to try at home:**

- Play 'I spy with my little eye' something that is starting with a sound you have been learning about.
- Practise the sounds we have been learning s, a, t, p, i, n, m, d, g, o, c, k.

Just a note to say: Can all children have their P.E kit for Tuesdays. Please make sure your child's Book Bag is in each day ☺



Don't forget to complete your maths challenges with your children we love to see learning from home!

Our star of the week: ★ Joris

