



Reception Weekly Update

Monday 11th November – Friday 15th November

In Phonics we have been:

- Learning the new phonemes 'g', 'o' and 'c' (a phoneme is 1 letter that makes 1 sound). We have been thinking of words that begin with these sounds and have been building and writing words with these sounds in.
- We have also been learning new 'high frequency' words. These are words which appear a lot in our reading and writing and the children eventually need to be able to read on recognition, e.g. it, is, in, at, an.

In Guided Reading we have been:

- Word-building with our magnetic letter trays.
- Reading words with our phonemes in and matching them with the corresponding picture.

These games have helped the children continue to practice sound-talking and blending to build and read words from left to right.

In Maths we have been:

- Learning '1 more' than a given number up to 10. We have used our tens frames, magic beans, multilink and number fans to help us do this.

Please sign up for our postponed parent Phonic workshops. Sign-up sheets are in classrooms. These workshops are so important in supporting your child in reading at home so please attend if you can! Choughs workshop is this Wednesday 20th from 9am and Puffins workshop is Thursday 21st from 9am. Please meet in the Jubilee room (opposite the office) for these.

