

Foundation Home Learning

Please remember home learning should be fun! Don't worry if you do not have time at a weekend - just if and when you can!



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4th – 8th March 2019



Wow! What a week! This week the children have enjoyed starting our new topic 'We Love Reading'. In class the children have read the story 'Mr Wolf's Pancakes' and have written some fantastic instructions on how to make them. These were then followed as we made our own pancakes, writing a list of ingredients, utensils and our favourite toppings. Then we actually got to eat them and talked about healthy toppings and toppings that are a treat - delicious (the staff enjoyed them too!)

Then came World Book Day and the children looked absolutely amazing in their outfits! Thank you all so much for your time and effort with their costumes. We had a great day sharing stories and their home learning posters, talking about why we love reading and who we love reading with. Mr Carhart, Miss Clegg and Mr Abbott came to share their favourite stories with Foundation whilst Miss Tickle and Mrs Atkin went to Years 3 and 6 - it was a very special experience for the whole school and the children loved it. Bedtime stories was a great success and the children loved being in class in their pyjamas with their teddies and pillows - a great day was had by all.

This week Len has introduced a new digraph 'ow' - **brown cow wow**. We have been really focussing on letter formation and writing lists with our new digraphs. Can you practise these at home and share your writing on Tapestry? It would be super if you can support your child to choose a word and write it in a sentence, remembering a capital letter, full stop and finger space. Please remember it does not always have to be sat at the table - we can write everywhere; at the beach, in the mud, with chalk etc.

There are some fantastic websites that can help support with ideas at home.

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brown
owl
clown
frown

This week in Maths Meg has been continuing to help us subtract. We have modelled it using pancakes and taking them away by eating them to see how many we had left. Can you support this at home with toys and food? Please share any Maths home learning on Tapestry.

Home Learning: Because we are learning about healthy foods and treat foods, can you write instructions and cook or bake your favourite food or a new food to try with your family? Please bring in your written instructions and a healthy poster if you would like to. We cannot wait to see any videos on Tapestry of your cooking!

Dates for this term:

Coffee Morning - It is so lovely to see Parents, Carers and Family members at our Foundation Coffee morning every Tuesday 8.40-9.30. Please do pop in for a cuppa and a chat if you are free.

Friday 15th March: Comic Relief Mufti - Please come dressed in red with a joke to share with friends

Thursday 21st March: Foundation Gruffalo Performance for Parents, Carers and Families 2pm

Friday 22nd March: Foundation Gruffalo Performance for Parents, Carers and Families 9.30am

If you have any questions about the Gruffalo performance, ticket allocation or costumes please speak to your class teacher who will be happy to help.