

Reception News

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Dear Parents and Carers

We've had a really fun and exciting last week in Reception. We began our week with our Life Bus sessions. The children really enjoyed going up to the small hall and meeting Kay and Harold. We learnt all about how our body works and what we need to have and do to keep ourselves healthy, safe and well. We also spoke lots about how to ensure we have lots of energy. The children were eager to join in with a special dance all about what our body needs to give us energy and then afterwards they listened to some calming music and pretended to have a sleep. We were very impressed with the children's super participation throughout the session.



On Tuesday the weather was finally bright and dry and we had great fun having our Sports Morning. The children participated in some running races and an egg and spoon race. All of the children had a go and we all cheered each other on. At the end of the morning we presented each child with a medal for their brilliant attitude and sportsmanship. Well done Reception!

We have also been participating in 'Art Week' this week. The children have done a wide range of creative activities and we have spoken lots about Art and being imaginative and creative. The children have loved some of the activities such as using their hands and fingers to create representations of minibeasts and using a range of resources to make their very own ice creams. We also enjoyed looking at some of the photographs that were taken for the Art Week competition and we really liked hearing about why the Reception children chose to take the photographs that they did.



Next week:

- We will be continuing the Art Week theme with lots of creative activities and will be enjoying spending our last few days with the children in Reception.
- Mr Richings Tea Parties will take place on Tuesday 20th July during the afternoon.
- The Year 6 Leavers Assemblies will be taking place throughout the day on Wednesday 21st July. Reception have been invited to attend the 9.30am assembly, outside, and we are very excited to attend!
- We will be breaking up for the Summer Holidays on Wednesday 21st July at 3pm.

Reminders:

- We have now collected the children's Reading Records in for the final time. If you didn't send it in on Wednesday then please do send it in next week as these are handed up to the Year 1 teachers.
- On Monday 19th July we will be collecting the children's school reading books in for the final time, therefore, they will not receive a new school reading book after this date.
- We have now carried out our last PE session, our 'Sports Morning', and, therefore, the children will not need to wear their PE kits to school on Tuesday 20th July.

We would like to take this opportunity to thank you all so much for your tremendous support over the past academic year. It has been a very different start to school for our Reception children this year but the determination and resilience that they have shown has been incredible. We could not be prouder of every single one of them.

We hope you all have a fantastic summer break!

Mrs Ford, Mrs Hall and all of the Reception Team.