



25th November 2016

Excalibur Primary School

Term: Autumn 2 Week: four

Reception Class Newsletter



We have been busy baking in Reception this week. The children have all helped to make batches of salt dough. This provided them with the opportunity to explore measuring and weighing for a real purpose. We also discussed the changes in state and the children made observations about the ingredients and how it changed. The children enjoyed adding ginger and cinnamon to create gingerbread decorations too.



In Read Write Inc, we have been recapping the sounds so far. The children have been busy using magnetic tiles to build real and nonsense words. They have been working together with their perfect partners to practice segmenting and blending skills.

We have been busy rehearsing for our nativity performance "Whoops-a-daisy Angel". The children have been trying hard to learn the words and actions to our new songs. Remember to book tickets for the performance if you can come and watch. Tickets are in big demand and the limit helps to share them out more fairly.

Christmas activities

The children thoroughly enjoyed our Christmas Decoration Workshop on Wednesday. Special thanks to our lunchtime supervisors who volunteered their time to come and help. The children worked hard and were proud of their finished results. Please see the photos of our busy day on the school website.



If you get chance over the weekend, pop into Wesley Place Methodist Church and have a look at our decorated tree.

*Enjoy the weekend,
Mrs Cheadle, Mrs Thompson
and Miss Kirby*

Super stars

Well done to Lucy and Angel who are our stars of the week. Keep it up!



Well done to Cerys and Joshua who are the VIP's this week. Fantastic manners!

Mystery Reader

A big thank you to Imogen's mum who was our mystery reader. She shared a selection of stories including "Super worm" and "The Smartest Giant". The children all tried hard to join in with the repeated phrases. She also very kindly brought in some super worm colouring sheets.

