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Excalibur Primary School Term: Spring 2 Week: two

Reception Class Newsletter

This week we have continued to explore stories with wolves as we have read 'The boy who cried wolf', 'The Three Little Pigs' and the 'Mr Wolf' stories. We imagined we were wolves and thought of different words to describe what wolves are like.

Using the game "What time is it Mr Wolf?" we have started to learn about time and how to tell the time if it is an o'clock. We used our own little clocks so we could investigate what happens as we move the hands. We also talked about the long and short hands and the positions they are in.

During our PE lessons we tried hard this week to do pencil, egg, dish and teddy bear rolls. The Children have been working on improving their technique and encouraging and supporting each other as they worked together. We certainly have some budding gymnasts!

Everyone looked fantastic yesterday in their World Book Day costumes. The children enjoyed talking about their costumes and why they had chosen them. They used the helicopter story approach to tell the story of King Arthur. Later in the day some children made their own shields and 'Comic strip' versions of the story in the same style as the school's Chosen text for the day. Castles to rival Camelot were collaboratively constructed in the building area and controlled sword fighting took place too.

Super stars

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



Mystery Reader

Charlie's Mum came in today to be our mystery reader.

Many thanks for your time! We do have some slots if you would like to sign up, second turns are encouraged too!

Have a great weekend,

Show and Tell

Show and tell next week will once again be an item of your child's choosing. As with last week the variety of projects that have been sent in have amazed us. Please reassure your child that once they have been on display for a couple of weeks they will be sent home for you to keep.

Keep going with reading and keyrings at home if you can. Little and often is best and don't forget to write in the planner to let us know what you are doing. Please check the Reception homepage on the website each Monday for phonics and maths activities. Many thanks.

Mrs Rogers, Mrs Griffin and Mrs Thompson

