



11th November 2022

Excalibur Primary School

Term: Autumn 2 Week: Two

Reception Class Newsletter

Monday's bonfire was a lovely way to start our week. Thank you again to Mr Pickin who made it possible for us. We found out why bonfire night is celebrated and talked about keeping safe. In provision the children have had the opportunity to make rockets and use paint techniques to make fireworks. As we moved through the week we talked about why poppies were being worn and the significance of the poppy. Today the children found out what happens at a Christening. They really enjoyed sharing their baby photos and talking about how they have changed!

Mystery Reader

Thank you to Lucy's Mum who was our mystery reader this week. Thank you again to all those who have volunteered so far. If you wish to come in, we are now filling up slots for after Christmas. Just email or pop a note on Seesaw and we will get back to you with a date.

Reception Family Lunch – Wednesday 16th November

We are looking forward to welcoming you to school on Wednesday for our reception family lunch. Please arrive just before 12pm so that we can go into the hall promptly. Once you have eaten lunch together it will be time to say goodbye to your child. They will go down through the classroom and out to play and you will go out through the main doors.



In RWI this week we have been learning the sounds x, z and w as well as recapping all previously taught sounds. Continual practice helps to close any gaps so if you can help by practising at home using the little green speed sounds books that will be fantastic.

Dates ahead:

16th November – 11.55 am reception family lunch
22nd November – 'Tales from Acorn Wood' theatre Trip
14th December – Reception and Key Stage One Nativity

Further details on the above will be sent out soon or have already been sent out.



Super stars



Congratulations to Albie and Orlando



Today we said goodbye to Mrs Bailey as she leaves us, to prepare for the arrival of baby Bailey. This week the children have spent some time meeting Miss Morrey who will take over teaching the class on a Thursday afternoon and Friday.

Have a wonderful weekend, Mrs Rogers, Mrs Bailey, Mrs Thompson and Mrs Bebbington

