



23<sup>rd</sup> June 2016

Term: Summer two

Week: Three

## Reception Newsletter



In Reception this week, we found out more about pirates and the children painted pirates to add to our display. The children also heard the story of "Sharing a Shell" and we discussed why sharing is so important.



In Literacy, we recorded some wonderful work for the wall. The children recorded pirate sentences about Captain Plank and his adventures. They recorded lists of things that pirates may need. We focused on recording words clearly so that another reader could understand what we had written. We talked about making sure our letters were correctly formed and of a consistent size.



In Maths we looked closely at the hundred square. The children noticed number patterns and investigated which numbers were missing. We also enjoyed singing our number train song.



The children also had the responsibility of helping to look after some of our new starters who came for visits this week. The children were very kind and each colour group had a turn to welcome a small group.



### Super Stars

Congratulations to Stanley and Ethan who are our stars of this week. Keep up the great work!



A big well done to Ellie S. and Thomas who were chosen to be the VIP's on Friday.



### Mystery Reader

Our mystery reader this week was George's dad who came in to share a space story with the children. We also had a special visit from Parry's mum who came in to play her flute and guitar for the children. Thank you both for giving up your time. We really appreciated it!



### Message in a bottle

Next week will be writing a message for a bottle to fit in with our seaside adventures. The children will need to bring in a small plastic bottle or two.



*Have a great weekend!*

*Mrs Cheadle, Mrs Newbould and Miss Kirby*

