



10th November 2023

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. On Wednesday Oscar's Dad came to see us, in his role as a fire fighter. We found out how the fire brigade help people and saw some of the special equipment and clothing that they need. Using the hose to squirt water as well as try one of the helmets really brought the visit to life. As we moved through the week we talked about why poppies were being worn and the significance of the poppy. There is no new vocabulary this week as we continued with our Meg and Mog story.

Mystery Reader

Thank you to Finn'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.

Show and Tell

From next week we are inviting children to bring in ONE item from home to talk about in our 'Show and tell' sessions. Each group will be assigned a different day of the week to bring in an item. Please note your child doesn't have to bring anything in and please don't send in breakable or valuable items.

Every Monday: Red Group

Every Tuesday: Blue Group

Every Wednesday: Green Group

Every Thursday: Orange Group

Every Friday: Yellow Group



RWI video links have been posted to help support your child in their reading journey. If you can find a few minutes over the weekend to watch them with your child, that would be wonderful.

Dates ahead:

13th December – Anti-bullying week launch, wear odd socks day (See letter for further details)

17th November - Children in Need, wear an item of brightly coloured clothing/Pudsey merchandise if you have it. (See letter for further details)

19th December – 'We're Going on a Bear Hunt' theatre trip. (See letter for further details)

Super stars

Congratulations to Maggie and Poppy, our stars for this week.



Cardboard tubes

If you have any cardboard kitchen roll tubes please can you send them into school next week. Many thanks

Have a wonderful weekend, Mrs Rogers, Mrs Bailey, Mrs Jesch and Mrs McCormick

