



24th October 2024

Excalibur Primary School

Term: Autumn 1 Week: Eight

Reception Class Newsletter



This week we have read the classic story 'Meg and Mog'. These words have supported our reading of the story; sprinkling, explosive, transformation, concoction, trudging and clamber. There have been lots of opportunities to practice and develop fine motor skills with some pumpkin and spider themed activities.

The corridors were filled with the delicious smell of pumpkin soup the children worked together with Mrs Jesch to make their own pumpkin soup and accompanying bread rolls. It was lovely that so many children tried the soup, so much so that we had lots of empty bowls!

Read Write Inc.
Phonics

This week we have added the sounds z, w and x to the sounds we have learnt so far.



Super stars



Congratulations to our stars...

Arabella and Archie



PE kits

These have now come home for washing and should be returned after the holidays. It might be a good idea to check the items all belong to your child as sometimes, despite our best endeavours clothing goes into the wrong bag. Please can you check that your child's clothing is also named?

Maths

This week we have been developing our super subitising powers by subitising small amounts. You will find out more about this at our maths and RWI evening.

Mystery Readers

Thank you to our first mystery reader Theo's Dad. If you would like to be a mystery reader, then please get in touch. On the day we suggest you bring two stories that you are familiar with, in case we have time for both.

Snacks

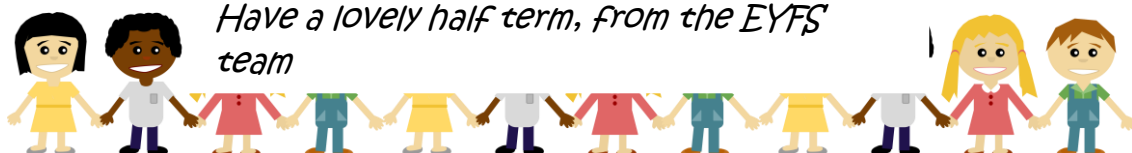
If your child is having their own morning snack please can you give them just one snack. We are finding that some children are spending quite a long time eating their snacks which then impacts on the morning and their lunch.

Reception Information Evening

On Thursday 14th November we are holding a short RWI and maths evening for Reception parents and carers. The meeting will start at 5.30pm and should last no more than 30 minutes. Apologies for the change of date.

Dates Ahead:

4th November – INSET day, school closed
5th November – Back to school
6th November – Individual and sibling photos
14th November – RWI/Maths evening at 5.30pm (please note the change of date)



Have a lovely half term, from the EYFS team