

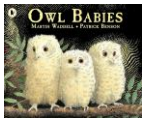


22nd November 2024

Excalibur Primary School

Term: Autumn 2 Week: Three

Reception Class Newsletter



The wonderful story 'Owl Babies' was our chosen text of the week. Our special words this week have been; abandoned, worried, relieved, comfort, eerie, distant, plump, downy and nocturnal. Can you use these words to think of some super sentences? Yesterday we had a visit from the PSPCA to talk about hedgehogs and our story next week will be about Ned a hedgehog who looking for somewhere to hibernate. We will be finding out about other nocturnal creatures next week too.



It was lovely to see the children wowed by the arrival of snow this week. After talking about what we noticed in terms of freezing and melting we set up an experiment to see if it was cold enough to freeze some water we had left in our outdoor tough tray.



Maths

This week was all about circles and triangles, spotting them and talking about their properties. We looked at the Russian artist Wassily Kandinsky and his use of colour, circles and triangles. We then used pastels to create our own concentric circles which we will display together to create a giant piece.

What circles and triangles can you see around your home and out and about?



Super stars



Congratulations to our stars...

Amelia and Bobby



Urgent knickers' appeal!

We desperately need some girl's knickers. We have lent all our pairs out. Please can you return them ASAP if you have any at home.

Mystery Readers

This week we were joined by Theo's Mum. The children absolutely love this part of their week. Thank you to everyone who has volunteered so far.



Keep practising the key rings, if your child has one and the sounds in the green speed sounds books.

Dates Ahead:

22nd - 25th November – Wesley Place Christmas Tree festival. Look for our EYFS tree with decorations made by our reception and pre-school children.

29th November – Xmas jumper day for FOE Christmas fayre. EYFS to donate sweets.

2nd December - Visit from Crewe fire station

12th December - 10 am EYFS Nativity, ticket letter emailed out.

17th December – EYFS party day

19th December – Reception and Year 1 trip to see 'Stickman'. Letter emailed out

Have a lovely weekend, from the EYFS team

