<u>Reception Newsletter</u> Friday 14th October 2016



This Week in Reception

We have had a lovely week in Reception this week. The children have been showing their amazing imagination skills and have been pretending to be Dinosaur explorers on the field. They have been using magnifying glasses to look closely at their findings. They found Dinosaur eggs, teeth and bones on our field. The girls then extended their learning by making their own fairy garden. They got resources from the classroom and used gems, glitter and small world characters to make their lovely fairy garden. The children also had a competition to make a poster for their new areas of learning and the winner has been laminated and put on the trees in the field.

The children were very excited at the start of the week as Mrs Edwards' cows had five new babies. The children loved seeing this new life in the field and all enjoyed coming up with names for them.

Notices

We are still looking for toilet rolls, cardboard boxes etc. Thank you to the parents who have brought them in already.

Homework

You will find your child's homework in their book bag. Their homework this week is to practise the sounds that we have learned in phonics. There will also be some tricky words in their book bag for them to practise.

Next week in Reception

Next week we will be continuing to let the children lead us in their learning. In the foundation stage we like to take the children's ideas and inspirations to inform our planning. We will start the week looking at fairy and dinosaur stories. In our maths lessons we are going to be looking at 2d shapes and their properties. In literacy we will be focusing on rhyming words. Our afternoons are going to be filled with lots of creative play, making model towns and model animals.

On over the rainbow this week is......

Amelia Elliot Kayla Matthew Daisy



Lots of children got onto the outstanding cloud this week and behaviour in class has been amazing. Keep up the good work; I am very proud of you all!