Reception Class Newsletter

26th June 2026



Hot Hot Hot!

This week has been roasting, piping, boiling, scorching, blistering hot!
The children have coped brilliantly with the changes in routines.
Well done everyone.
We made and decorated our own fans.
On Thursday everyone enjoyed an ice pop, including the grown ups!
We have talked about different weathers and which ones we like the most!
We have certainly seen all weathers during our year in Reception.
Let's hope it cools down a bit for next week.



Literacy

This week Reception have been learning about the role of firefighters.
We watched a video about firefighters and found out about the special protective clothes they wear.
Unfortunately, the fire engine couldn't visit this week as they had an emergency! We are hoping they will be able to come and see us soon.
We looked closely at photos of fire engines and talked about the different parts. Did you know fire engines have lockers to store the equipment? They also have a ladder on the top!
We wrote a description of the fire engine. There was lots of independent writing using their phonics knowledge.
Everyone enjoyed singing a new song *Five Little Firefighters* and made a picture of them using their handprint!



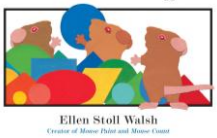


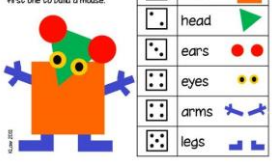


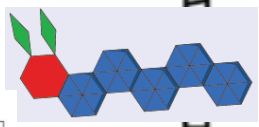


Maths

We have been revisiting 2D and 3D shapes and making lots of pictures and models using them.
We also enjoyed story were the pictures were made up of different shapes.







Phonics

This week we have been reading words with ing and ed endings:

swimming, twisting, jumping, bumped, cracked, croaked, floated, painted, groaned, crowned, smeared

ed endings are so tricky they can sound t or id or d

We have been revisiting tricky words:
some, come, love, do, have, like, you, do, said, no, says, the

Next week

- In our topic *People Who Help Us* we will be looking at dentists
- Reading *The Three Wishes*
- Making our wish list!
- In Phonics we will complete our learning for Reception – wow!
- In Maths we will be exploring sharing and grouping

Please practise reading and writing tricky words

Have a good weekend.
See you Monday.

