Reception newsletter

Friday 16th October

Mathematical development

The children have been measuring their feet using cubes and comparing the measurements.

They have been ordering objects in terms of size and using the vocabulary small, smaller smallest, big, bigger, biggest.

The children have been counting and recognising numbers to 20 and beyond. They have been answering questions such as 'what is 1 more that 12?' The children have been using numicon to support their understanding of the concepts of 'more and less'

English development

The children now know the sounds m, a, s, t, p, c, k, i, d, n, o, g and are making good progress with their writing. They have even started to blend cvc words!

They have been writing prescriptions and taking down patients' details in the doctors role play area; improving their knowledge of 'people who help us.'

They have learnt more songs and rhymes so ask them to sing you one of their favourites!

Useful Information

Your snack money contributions over the past fortnight have provided cheese and crackers, brioche, cheese and onion rolls, pizza and breadsticks.

Please make sure earrings are removed for Tuesdays. It is for the children's safety. The children are thoroughly enjoying gymnastics.

Parents Evening appointments are still available; please contact the office if you have not made one yet.

The children have been very pleased with their stickers for sharing their books. Remember at this stage it is about encouraging good reading habits.

Busy learning

The children have made banana cakes and jam tarts. They really enjoyed mixing the batter and rolling the pastry.

They attended their first assemblies and have sat and listened beautifully. They learnt about the Harvest with Father Paul and celebrated achievements with Mrs Mitchell.

The children have been programming the Bee-Bots to take a specific route. They have learnt how to give a series of instructions.

They have explored repeating patterns with colourful printing.

They have investigated the autumn wind with scarves and bubbles.