

Early Years News

Dear Parents and Carers,

This week our learning has been based on the story of The Gruffalo. Nursery children have had a story-time in the den in the wood and made some fantastic Gruffalo headbands. In Reception we have been very creative and written descriptions of our own funny Gruffalos. Can your child remember some of the funny features they gave their Gruffalo?

General reminders

Snack money; Thankyou to all those who have already sent in snack money. If you haven't done so already, £1 is due on a weekly basis. Please could we ask you to bring any outstanding snack money in next week.

Don't forget

- library books are changed on Wednesdays
- Story sacks on Tuesdays

Thank you



Nursery

We have been reading The Gruffalo this week. If you have this book at home please read it together and talk about the story.

Reception homework tasks

Well done again for all the work going on with reading and the new Phonics booklets!

We are so impressed. Please remember to sign the yellow reading record every time you finish a book so that children can collect a **star reward** in class. When children complete their chart they are allowed to choose a treat from the school reward box of goodies!

This week please help your child to have a go at pages 5 and 6 in the Phonics booklets.

Name writing is also a key target this half term along with number recognition to 10 preferably, but at least to 5. If you know your child is still working on these skills, please spend time supporting them to practise for a few minutes each day. Thank you.

Have a lovely weekend! Mrs Davison, Mrs Shuker, Mrs Swindells, and Mrs Nash