



Dates for your Diary

Wednesday 19 th October	Reception trip to Bishop's Park
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Eaglet News

We have made it to the end of another busy and very fun week! This week the staff in Early Years have really enjoyed observing children stepping out of their comfort zone by interacting with new friends.

In Early Years, our Nursery and Reception children share a playground. This provides our pupils with a vast opportunity to make new friends and lots of us have stepped up to the challenge! We have seen Reception children sharing their knowledge when using equipment safely, and Nursery children asking the older children to play in their games.

It's been lovely to see children interacting with each other, learning from one another and taking on different roles in their play.



Messages

Amazon Wish List

At St. John's we have an Amazon Wish list. If you would like to support our curriculum by purchasing items for the classroom, please follow this link. We really appreciate any purchases.

https://www.amazon.co.uk/hz/wishlist/ls/1A2U0S4DQV12J/ref=nav_wishlist_lists_1

Tapestry

We have begun to upload observations to Tapestry, providing you with an 'in the moment' snapshot of your child's progress within our setting. If you need support accessing your account, please email eyfs@stjohnsce.lbhf.sch.uk

As teachers, we love to see all the wonderful things children are doing at home. If you would like to share observations, you're invited too. These may involve children demonstrating independence skills, showing understanding of hygiene/ healthy eating, reading practice or exciting activities etc!

Congratulations to our Stars of the Week

Nursery – Stevie



RE – Nyandi



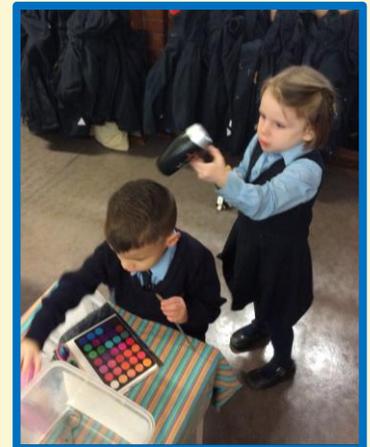
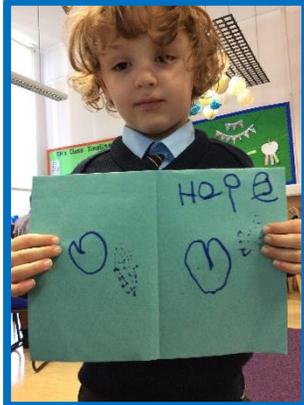
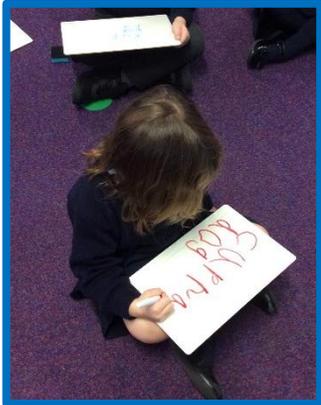
RM – Kitty



Reception

Our learning this week

This week in Reception, we have enjoyed using our writing sequence to write a range of words and sentences! We have been challenging ourselves to use our phonics within our independent writing.



Next week

Personal, Social and Emotional Development

We will be taking part in our first school trip; recognising the importance of following rules and routines, practising our listening skills and developing our self-confidence outside of the classroom setting.

Communication, Language and English

We will be learning new vocabulary related to autumn and developing our writing skills to write sentences about autumn. In Phonics we will be learning the graphemes 'h', 'b', 'f', 'ff', 'l', 'll' and the HRSW words 'as' and 'his'.

Physical Development

In our PE lesson, we will be developing the skill of changing direction, avoiding obstacles.

Religious Education

We will be exploring the Christian festival of Harvest.

Mathematics

We will continue looking at numbers to six; one fewer, ordering numerals and conservation of number to six.

Understanding the World

We will explore the season Autumn, looking at nature, signs of seasons and how animals adapt through a range of activities. We will also discuss the importance of Black History Month and learn about Mary Seacole.

Nursery

Our learning this week

In Nursery, we have enjoyed exploring stories through drama, using big muscle movements to re-enact scenes.



Next week

Personal, Social and Emotional Development

We will be focusing on healthy eating and learning to recognise the importance of healthy choices for our bodies.

Communication, Language and English

We will be exploring a range of texts related to autumn and autumn animals.

Mathematics

We will continue to explore numbers to five.

Understanding the World

We will be learning about the season of autumn, recognising signs and features.

Expressive art and design

We will be developing our narration skills through our play.

