



Eaglet News

This week in Reception we have been continuing our topic of 'Summer' which has now finally fitted in well with the weather! This has meant we have been spending lots of time outside, with some children pretending to go fishing in the big sand pit (see our main picture). Hopefully many of the children have been coming home singing their graduation songs to you, we have been rehearsing lots this week and each member of the Reception team has shed a little tear already!

This week in Nursery we read the story *Bonting*, by Shirley Hughes. The children were taken with Shirley Hughes' beautiful old-fashioned, evocative illustrations. This led to lots of talk about their own experiences of going to the beach and what they encountered through their senses. The children loved the idea of making their own pet rocks, so we have learnt all about acrylic paint this week and how to use it safely and sensibly. We are continuing to work on our pet rocks. Next step will be using a glue gun to add features! We also used junk modelling resources to make some homes for our new pets.

Picnic in the park

Just a reminder that if anyone is able to help us walk the children to and from Bishop's park on Friday 19th July please let your class teacher know.

Upcoming Events

2nd, 3rd July – New Reception parent meetings

9th July – Nursery Sports Day, 9.10-10.25 in school playground.

18th July – Reception graduation

19th July – Picnic in the park

Stars of the week

Nursery – Niamh



RO – Harry



RC – Skylar



Reception

Our learning

This week in pictures



Next week

Physical Development

We will be threading leaves to make jewellery

Communication, Language and Literacy

We will be reading the story 'the tiny seed'

Mathematics

We will be looking different ways of measuring objects

Expressive Arts and Design

We will be pretending to be owners of a garden center

Understanding the World

We will be visiting the science garden and looking at the different plants



Nursery

Our learning

This week in pictures



Exploring shaped hole punches to make patterns and develop our fine motor skills.

Physical Development

We will be working on correct formation of letters.

Communication, Language and Literacy

We will be reading stories about plants and growth.

Mathematics

We will be sequencing events in the life cycle of a seed.

Expressive Arts and Design

We will be making interesting prints using different growing things.

Understanding the World

We will be planting beans.

