

Acorn News...

Friday 7th May 2021



We have had a lovely week in Acorn class with lots of fantastic learning going on. The children have been really interested in watching our 'pets' grow, the ladybird larvae is moving around, the caterpillars are getting bigger but our tadpoles still do not have any legs!

In Phonics, we have been recapping the sounds th (which makes two different sounds in thick and this) and ng. We have also learnt the tricky word 'me'.

In Maths, we have been looking at subtraction within 10. We have used objects to do this by taking them away to see what is left, we have used a bag so we had to remember how many we had altogether, we have also used sweets and had lots of fun eating them to 'take them away'.

We had lots of great stories told during our 'helicopter stories' this week and we have been really impressed with the children's acting.

Well done to our star of the week, Eloise who showed great perseverance when creating something using our junk modelling materials, she spend lots of time improving her 'pizza' as bits kept falling off!

Water Bottles...

Please ensure these contain water! We have had a few spillages recently which have had juice in.

Once the weather warms up, we do not want ants in our classroom!

Class Dojo

This is our reward system. The children each have a virtual monster and have the opportunity to gain (or lose) points. The children decide on the reasons they would be able to gain or lose their points. The child with the most points at the end of the day will win a prize!

Home Learning

Please practise the sounds and words learnt so far in phonics (a list can be found on the Acorn page of the school website).

Can you think of words containing these sounds?

Can you think of a sentence using one of the tricky words in?

Have a go at writing some of your words or sentences independently

PE

PE is on a Friday. Please ensure earrings are taped or removed.

Your child needs a full PE kit (house colour t-shirt, black/navy shorts/tracksuit bottoms, trainers/plimsolls) in school. The children are expected to fully change out of their uniform and into their PE kit. This is an important learning opportunity for them.

Reminders...

- Book bags and reading books should be in school EVERYDAY
- Reading books are changed on Tuesdays and Fridays. Please read with your child at least 3 times a week.
- Library books are changed on Wednesdays
- Wellies and spare clothes need to be in school—we will phone you if your child does not have spare clothes and needs to get changed!