

## Heyhouses Reception Newsletter Summer Term 1 Week 3



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## **This Week**

On Wednesday it was our much anticipated trip to Blackpool Zoo. The weather was just perfect and so lots of the animals came out to see us and some of them were showing off their babies. We talked about what the animals looked like, where in the world they came from and what they ate. We watched the sea-lion show before enjoying our picnic lunch. The children behaved impeccably all day and we all had a wonderful experience. Although the children (and the grown-ups) were a bit tired the next day, they still managed to do some great writing about their trip. They also had a go at drawing, their favourite animals from the zoo.

Friday saw Heyhouses celebrate The Coronation of King Charles with a picnic Lunch. Reception made their own crowns and joined the rest of the school in performing a dance to some of King Charles' favourite songs. If your family take part in any special events over The Bank Holiday weekend, please send in any photos for us to show next week.

## **Phonics**

This week we worked on reading and writing words of 5 or more letters, as well as those ending in d or ed. For example, crisp, branch, plant, planted, crush, crushed. Can you spot any of these words in reading books?

## **Maths**

**Focus: Composition** 

The children consolidated their understanding of the composition of 5 and practised recalling the parts of 5 when 1 is not visible. We also built on previous work on the composition of 6, 7, 8 and 9 as '5 and a bit'.









