



# Heyhouses Reception Newsletter



## Autumn Term 2 Week 4

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### This Week

Nativity rehearsals are well under way and the children are learning some sign language to go with the songs. We have sent home the words to *Away in A Manger* for the children to practise at home. They have continued to learn about life in Jesus' time and compared life in The Holy Land to life in St Annes.

#### Phonics

This week's sounds are:



sh- the shabby ship shook

th- they were thirsty

ng - ping pong

nk - ooh! a pink sink

#### Maths

##### Focus: Comparison

This week's activities focus on further developing the ability to compare quantities.

Provide opportunities during routines for your child to match real-world objects and see if there is 'enough', e.g. setting the table, sharing out snacks, setting up a tea-party set for role-play.

Provide different containers at bath time and ask your child to investigate how many cups it takes to fill them.

#### Free School Meals and Pupil Premium

If you are in receipt of benefits, this may entitle you to food vouchers from school as well as a free school trip. If you think you are eligible, please make the school office aware so they can provide you with the relevant form to complete with your details. Alternatively, please call the Pupil Access Team on 01524 581207 to apply.

#### Nativity Performances Next Week.....

Wednesday 30th November- Sycamore Nativity Play 9.15 -10.00 a.m.

Thursday 1st December – Blossom Nativity Play 9.15 -10.00 a.m.

Friday 2nd December – Oak Nativity Play 9.15 -10.00 a.m.

Please take your seats in the Westall Hall, after dropping off your child at their classroom in plenty of time to put their costumes on. If you wish to record or take photos of your child, please make sure any images including other children are not shared on social media as not all parents have given consent for this.

