

Beech Class Learning Letter

Friday 4th October 2024



Home Learning

Thank you for all the home learning photos! We have enjoyed looking at them together :)

Explore making groups of 'more' and 'fewer' objects. When you sit down to eat tea, you could ask 'who has more peas?' or 'I wonder who has fewer fish fingers?'

We would also like children to practise putting their own coats on. We have found lots of children are struggling to get them on and zip them up. We would love children to be able to do this independently. Of course, we will help them if they need it, but will ask them to try first.



Reminders

Please try to listen to your child read for 5/10 minutes each night. It is good for children to repeat books a few times, this helps with their understanding.

Please write a comment in their reading diary when you have listened to them read.

Don't forget to put reading books and reading diaries in the basket when your child is ready to have it changed.

Dates for your diary

Thursday 10th October- World Mental Health Day-

Children can wear yellow- small donation for mental health awareness

Monday 14th October- Flu immunisations

Tuesday 15th October- Pumpkin Party- 4pm-5pm EYFS and KS1 £3 entry on the door

Half Term- Week commencing 21st October

Monday 28th October- INSET day

Tuesday 29th October- children return to school

Tuesday 5th November- Open afternoon 2-3.15pm

Tuesday 12th November and Wednesday 13th November- Parents evening

What we are learning....

This week, in phonics, we have been consolidating our learning. We have gone over the sounds we have learnt so far this year. We've done lots of blending and segmenting for reading and writing. The children are doing brilliantly in phonics, we are very proud!

In maths this week we have been subitising again, we played a great game of subitising bingo. The children enjoyed rolling the die and subitising how many dots to match on their bingo card.

We have been talking about how we have changed from when we were babies. Thank you to those parents that have already sent in baby photos of your child/ children. If you have not done so yet, please do in baby photos. We have really enjoyed figuring out who's who. We even had a look at the adults baby photos which was fun. The children enjoyed figuring out which baby photos belong to the adults in the classroom. I wonder who had the chubbiest cheeks?!

Thank you to those parents who attended the phonics meeting on Wednesday. I have put the power point on the website. And for those that could not attend, I hope you found my phonics video useful. Please don't hesitate to ask if you have any questions!



School Mission Statement

'We all work together to do our best to shine with God's love, pride and success in a happy, peaceful and prayerful place where everyone tries to be kind, helpful and caring.'