

Dear Parents and Carers,

Weekly Learning Letter Week 1

Congratulations to Raffi and Elyannah who received our Star of the Week certificate!

Congratulations to Jack who received our Value certificate this week!

Books we have shared

This week we have enjoyed sharing a range of dinosaur stories to support our new topic. The children enjoyed talking about the characters and learning new dinosaur vocabulary.

Phonics

With Mr Taylor, the children have been revisiting words with 2 syllables, practicing counting how many syllables a word has.

With Mrs Maguire, the children have revisited the sounds S,A,T,P.

Maths

In maths we have explored height, length and the days of the week. Through challenges and questions, we have applied our skills to solve problems.

Whilst exploring, we have developed our language to talk about and compare height and length, including: tall, taller, tallest, long, longer, longest, short, shorter, shortest.

Through singing songs, we have learned the days of the week in sequence, as well as the vocabulary yesterday, today and tomorrow to describe when events happen. Topic

We have begun our new topic all about dinosaurs. Lots of new dinosaur words have been introduced such as their names. We have also talked about what carnivore, herbivore, omnivore and extinct mean. It has been fun being a fossil expert, touring our museum and naming some of the skeleton bones; spine, ribs, skull. The children discussed that they would like to learn about how fossils are made and explore different types of dinosaurs and what they eat.

Home Learning

Mr Taylor Phonics Group – To practice writing words with 2 syllables. E.g. Rocket, Farmer, Rooftop

Mrs Maguire Phonics Group - To copy the letters S,A,T,P have a go at writing these independently.

Please continue to encourage your child to hold their pencil correctly as they do so.

Mr Matthew Taylor
Teacher

