

Dear Parents and Carers,

### Weekly Learning Letter Week 6

Congratulations to Freddie and Jasper who received our Star of the Week certificate!

Congratulations to Nelly who received our Value certificate this week!

### Phonics

With Mrs Hay, the children have been revisiting syllables. We listened carefully to how many beats/syllables we hear in words. We have learnt to chop up longer words into parts to make it easier to read and write.

With Mrs Maguire, the children have revisited the sounds H B F L focusing on reading CVC words.

### Topic

Journey day – Ladybirds participated in their first school Journey Day! The theme was worldviews and special stories. Ladybirds looked at the Islamic story “The Crying Camel” Showing that no matter how small or large animals may be, they are all important to God and need to be cared for. To show that we care for creatures we made bird feeders to hang up in forest school. If you would like to know more about the story, please use the link below.

[KS1 Religious Studies: The Islamic Story of The Prophet and the Ants and 'The Crying Camel' - BBC Teach](#)

Today we had a visit from PC Caddy and PCSO Goodwin! The class really enjoyed sitting in a police car, trying on hats and coats, asking questions about their job roles and creating finger prints! Ladybirds were also able to take away pictures, a sticker and their own police hat! Thank you PC Caddy and PCSO Goodwin!

The children are very excited by our topic next half term, Dinosaurs! Our Dinosaur topic word mat and parent leaflet overview is available to view on our class page and attached below. Photos of our new learning areas will be uploaded soon for you to enjoy.

Thank you for your continued support this half term and we hope you all have a wonderful half term holiday and we look forward to seeing you on Monday 24th February.

**Mrs Haley Hay**

EYFS Lead and Teacher / Phonics Lead

