

Wren's News

WB 3rd November

This term our topic is celebrations. Last week the children explored a number of different festivals: Hanami (Japanese blossom festival) Halloween, Uttarayan (Indian kite festival) and Kodomo no Hi (Japanese celebration of children). This week the children have been learning about the Festival of Holi (Festival of colour). They have been exploring powder paints using pipets, colour mixing using the primary colours, creating repeating colour patterns, colour sorting and finding India and England on a globe and world map.



This week in phonics we have been introduced to the new sounds : j, v, w and x. We have also been introduced to the tricky words: he, she and busses.

This week in maths we have been learning to compare amounts, saying when an amount is fair when shared between two. When amount is more, less or the same and what is 1 more and 1 less than an amount.

The children are doing really well coming in through the gate and lots of them are becoming increasingly confident. If I can ask that we now stop coming to the Wrens window and just say the goodbyes at the gate as some children are getting upset when they see other parents and not their own.

We are outside getting muddy in all weathers, please make sure your child has a warm weatherproof coat and if they own waterproof over trousers they can have them in school too.

Lots of little ones are coming in without water bottles, although we can offer cups of water it is really difficult to make sure they are drinking enough during the day.

PE day continues to be Thursday. If you have Velcro trainers instead of laces it is much easier for them to be independent, taking their shoes on and off for lunch and play.

When you have read your books if could add a short comment or just write 'Read', so we know to change your book. Thank you.

November 14th- Non Uniform day, please can your child bring in an item for the new lunch time mud kitchen. (A big thank you to Elly's family for building our school an amazing mud kitchen!)

