

## Wren's New

WB 3<sup>rd</sup> June 2024 Term 6

Welcome to term 6. This week has been lovely, especially the pet show on Wednesday. The children enjoyed it so much and learnt a lot about different pets. Many of the children had never seen a ferret before. They loved the dogs that could do tricks and were fascinated by the different jobs the dogs did. The children asked lots of great questions and did some brilliant writing afterwards.

The children have learnt about different environments that animals live in and have thought about why animals that normal live in the wild, live in zoos. Thank you for coming to the 'Come and play' if you could make it. The children gained so much from the activity and what you all made with them was amazing.

Our phonics scheme is all about learning new sounds this term. We continue to recap the previous sounds, but we learn new ones rapidly over the next term. I have posted a picture on the right of the new sounds so that you can continue to support your children at home



I had feedback this week that Mrs Sharpe was amazed at all of the children's swimming in Wrens. She could not believe that they were all ready to swim the length of the pool, mostly with noodles and even some on their own. It is very rare for a reception class, and she could tell that this cohort are extremely water confident, and she was very happy with the progress that they are all making. It really shows how many of them go swimming out of school and how much this helps. Well done, Wrens!

We also have pet fish!

In maths we have been measuring and comparing the size of our feet. We have been discussing weight and working on subitising and number sentences.

As we get excited about our school trip to Reculver Beach next Friday, we will begin learning information about seal life and beach creatures during topic next week. We will be taking our topic experiences and activities from the book on the right. I know a lot of children have this at home and love it. I have planned some sensory experiences and some more map work as the children love a map at the moment. I know the children will enjoy their learning and be as keen as ever.



