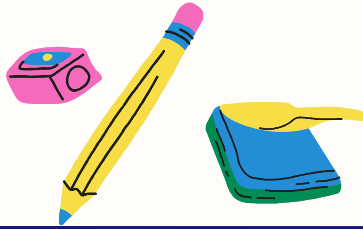


Reception News



Colham —
Manor
Primary School
Aspire, Achieve, Thrive



This week in Reception...

The children have learnt key words from the story such as crack, push and spread. Children learnt to compose sentences and wrote what a plant needs to grow. Children had the opportunity to plant a seed and discuss how to help it grow. Children also made predictions about what would happen to the seed! During maths children learnt more about grouping and odd/ even numbers. They also explored how to use doubles to share equally. The children enjoyed using the money outside and brought each other food. Children learnt about world mental health week! They discussed feelings and how to regulate emotions.

Outside children have enjoyed using their phonics skills to write using chalk. They have also been working in teams to invent using the crates and planks. Children enjoyed inventing a minibeast and designing a bug hotel. Through our discussions and activities, the children have been developing their vocabulary and communication skills. They have talked about what plants need to grow, such as water, sunlight, and soil, and have started to make simple connections to the world around them.

The children enjoyed transferring the chrysalis and are excited to see what happens next. They have also been making observational drawings and being scientists. The children have shown great enthusiasm and curiosity, particularly during group discussions and practical activities.

In art this week children tried the vegetable soup that they made using their own plan. Children enjoyed discussing where vegetables come from. During Understanding the World children explored melting and freezing. They also discussed how frozen objects melt and which things don't melt.



REACH awards

R Seacole - Enthusiastic- Maleek for being enthusiastic towards his phonics- He is using his phonics and blending to write sentences independently. Well done Mallek, Keep up the good work!

R Darwin Ambitious -Andrei for being ambitious. He was able to write a longer sentence in literacy. Keep up the good work Andrei!

R Grey Thompson- Ambitious- Abaan for being ambitious. He has been writing in full sentences and is improving his writing skills. Well done Abaan ! keep up the good work!

Well done to all the children who have received a REACH certificate this week!



Key Messages

Please label all items.

Please send in junk modelling and kitchen towel rolls.

PE kits should be brought in and left at school, not worn to school. A full school uniform is required for the school day. Please make sure your child brings a water bottle.

Just a kind reminder children should not be bringing in toys from home. Here are some useful websites that the school offers to support the children in their learning journey.

<https://www.oxfordowl.co.uk/>

<https://www.ruthmiskin.com/>

<https://www.bbc.co.uk/tiny-happy-people>

Please see the free support service website below, this is training and support for parents.

www.familylives.org.uk

Thank you for your continued support.