

# Reception Weekly Learning

**This week:** In Maths we continued to explore halving up to 20 using whiteboards and counters. In Literacy we wrote about what type of superhero we would like to be and how we would save people. We had fun sorting the 'treasure' words from the 'nonsense' words. We enjoyed having parents join us for our Maths morning activities.

## Maths

- Continue to share objects into equal groups and count how many are in each group.
- Revisit 2D shapes

## NEXT WEEK WE HAVE CHICKS ARRIVING IN RECEPTION!

### Understanding the World

Write a list of things we need to do to look after the chicks.

### Physical Development

Design a superhero costume using different resources and using tools with increasing control.

### Literacy

Reading a new story called 'Nat Fantastic'.

Story mapping.

Children to talk and write about real life superheroes.

Writing signs for our chick area.

### Expressive Arts and Design

Observe and painting the chicks  
Singing animal songs

### Communication and Language

Listen to stories on the Ipad and laptops using headphones and answering questions.

### Personal, social, and emotional development

Writing about how a friend made you smile.

## \* PLEASE READ \*

- To promote independence and a prompt start to the morning we would like to encourage the children to come into the classroom on their own. We therefore ask you to practise standing towards the back of the reception play area and encourage your children to move towards the classroom door on their own.
- If you have any major concerns please remain at the back of the play area until the children are in the classroom and settled.
- We have chicks arriving next Tuesday 15<sup>th</sup> May. Please let class teachers know if your child has any **ALLERGIES** and is unable to hold them. Parents will be invited on Tuesday 22<sup>nd</sup> May at 3.30pm to come and visit the chicks.
- Please use the online resources 'Bug club' and 'Purple mash'. The login and passwords are inside your child's communication books.

### Useful Educational websites

- <https://www.topmarks.co.uk/> <http://mathszone.co.uk/>
- <http://www.snappymaths.com/addsub/make10/interactive/make10imin/make10imin.htm>
- <http://www.letters-and-sounds.com/phase-2-games.html>
- [www.nrich.com](http://www.nrich.com)
- [www.thekidzpage.com](http://www.thekidzpage.com)

Thank you for your continued support.  
The Reception Team