

# Reception Weekly Learning

Friday 15<sup>th</sup> June

**This week:** In Maths we have been exploring and measuring time using different methods such as stop watches, clocks, and sand timers. We had fun creating a timeline of our daily routine from morning to evening. We wrote about our favourite animals and used adjectives to describe them. We enjoyed drawing and writing descriptions about giraffes and making dens for 'animals' in the playground.

## Maths

Revisiting and using the language of money  
Recreating patterns and symmetry.

## NEXT WEEK IS THE FARM VISIT TO WATLING PARK!

### Understanding the World

Exploring mother animals and their young and matching the correct animal to their baby.  
Using our senses to observe and talk about different farm animals.

### Physical Development

Digging and exploring soil using a variety of different tools to create a farm.

### Literacy

Reading our new storybook "Farmer Duck"  
Writing letters to Farmer Duck from the Farmer  
Writing a recount about the farm visit to the school

### Communication and Language

Using the special 'Story telling chair' to retell the story of Farmer duck.

### Expressive Arts and Design

Creating different habitats for different animals using natural resources.

### Personal, social, and emotional development

Talking about and writing a letter to the duck from farmer duck to apologise for not helping him with the chores.

## REMINDERS

- **PLEASE BRING IN ANY GARDENING TOOLS, PLANTS, ACCESSORIES OR TOYS YOU MAY HAVE SO WE CAN USE THEM IN OUR GARDEN AREA.**
- **Junk Modelling** -Please provide any lean recycling for our junk modelling projects.
- Please bring in any learning your child has completed at home so we can display it in class.
- We would still love to have some parent readers to come and read a story to their child's class at **3:15pm** every **Wednesday**. Just let your child's class teacher know which Wednesday you can come.
- **Please regularly check your child's bag for learning and letters.**

## Useful Educational websites

Please also see the phonics section on our school website.

- <https://animalfactguide.com/links/>
- <https://a-z-animals.com/>
- [www.teachyourmonstertoread.com](http://www.teachyourmonstertoread.com)
- <https://www.funbrain.com/>
- <https://www.learninggamesforkids.com/>
- <http://www.sheppardsoftware.com/content/animals/kidscorner/kidscorner3.htm>

Thank you for your continued support.  
The Reception Team