



Early Years Talk-Talk

Friday 27th September 2019



For being a super role model.

Message from Early Years

We have had another super week in Early Years. The children have been completing lots of exciting activities such as making patterns, painting a rainbow, building their name using magnetic letters, writing CVC words, exploring 2D shapes and exploring the laminated pictures of the staff members at Chadsmead.

Next week, we will be starting our new theme 'Why do squirrels hide their nuts?'. During our theme we will be using our five senses to explore the changes that happen during Autumn. We will venture out of the classroom to find evidence of these changes, and learn and use vocabulary to describe what we see. In literacy, we will be reading the story 'The Gruffalo'.

In literacy this week, we have been continuing to read the story 'Lost and Found'. We have been looking at the characters in the story and described how they felt. The children came up with some super descriptive words.

During maths this week, we have been continuing to explore pattern. The children copied, described and even made their own size pattern. Also in maths, we have been looking at representing numbers using objects.

Stay and Play session

We would like to invite all Reception and Nursery parents and carers to a stay and play session on Thursday 24th October 9.15am-10.15am. This will give you the opportunity to come and explore the classroom with your child.

Reminder – Homework Books (Reception ONLY)

The children have been sent home with a homework book. Homework will be given to children every Thursday and **MUST** be completed and returned by the following Tuesday. Homework will include practicing letter formation, phonics, maths or creative projects. This will alternate on a weekly basis.

Reception ONLY

This week some of the Reception children will have a reading diary and a CVC blending book. These will be changed weekly. To support your child with their reading, it is important that they read this book every night. Please be aware that the children are currently learning to read simple CVC words and may need support from you. You can use the method 'My turn, your turn' to help support your child.

