





What another fantastic week we have had. We have enjoyed continuing to get to know the children and building positive relationships with them. The children are doing a brilliant job following our classroom rules and routines.

This week, the children have had lots of fun making cakes with the playdough, designing and building models in the construction area, making shape models with the tap-a-shape, drawing patterns in writing sand, taking on different roles in the home corner, exploring our new block area with the dinosaurs. Also this week, the children have been introduced to the box modelling area where they have been able to create box models using their own ideas. So far the children have created megaphones, birds, pianos, music shakers and robot birds.

## Notes for parents and guardians

## **Library (Every Monday)**

Next week we will be starting our Library session. This is where your child will bring home a library book of their choice to share with you at bedtime. Please note that this will be a story book for <u>YOU</u> to read to your child. Library books will be changed weekly so please ensure your child brings the chosen book back to school. If your child does not bring their library book back each week then they will not be able to choose another story until the previous book has been returned. We offer this session to encourage a love for reading from an early age so we hope you and your child will enjoy sharing and talking about the stories which they bring home. We thank you for your continued support.

#### Early Years in need

The children always have access to the box modelling area and they are creating brilliant models however, we are slowly running out of resources so we ask if you could please save any empty boxes, toilet roll tubes, containers, bottles, washing up liquid bottles etc and bring them into school so the children can continue to make amazing models.

#### Reminder

# Reception PE (Every Tuesday)

Please bring in your child's PE kit on Monday 17<sup>th</sup> September. PE kits will remain at school and be sent home every half term. Reception will start PE on Tuesday 18<sup>th</sup> September.

### Forest Days (Every Friday):

Children will need to be provided with wellies or other suitable footwear as we will get muddy! These shoes can remain in school. Please provide your child with some old clothes in a named bag for their forest session which they will bring home every Friday. Forest for both **Nursery** and **Reception** will start on Friday 21<sup>st</sup> September.

Please bring your child into school in their school uniform **NOT** their forest clothes. Thank you \*Please ensure all school uniform is labelled with your child's name\*