

Reception Newsletter 14.09.18

We have been continuing to settle in and learn each other's names and different areas of the setting. We have also been celebrating the class puppet's birthday. We have really enjoyed writing birthday cards, counting candles on cakes, ordering birthday cards with numbers on and making playdough cakes.



If your child goes to a club after school please park their scooter inside the red gate as the EYs gate closes at 4pm.

Reading

Don't forget to read to your child every day and talk to your child about the pictures. Encourage your child to look for the sounds and words we have been learning in their reading books. The words to practice for this term are also in the front of your child's red reading diary.



Learning to read the sounds:

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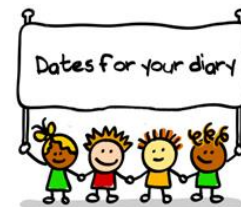
Learning to read the words:

is it if

HOME LEARNING

I can write my name.

Your child will have a name card in their book bag to practice writing their name with the correct formation at home. There are lots of ways to make this fun, by writing it in the air with a twig, using chalk on the pavement, a paintbrush and water on the wall outside, putting paper over the top of the card to trace it, copying it straight from the card or buying a whiteboard pen from the school for 10p.



Phonics and Reading Parent Workshop - Friday 21st September 9.15-10.15am

Maths Parent Workshop - Thursday 4th October 9.15-10.15am

Celebration Day - Friday 12th October 9.15-10.15am- this is an opportunity to spend time in our setting to see how your child learns.

Parents' Evening - 9th/10th October

Parents' Lunches - 11.15am-12.00pm
Wednesday 31st October (Moonbeam)

Thursday 1st November (Sunshine)

Friday 2nd November (Rainbow)



Jolly Foresters

URBAN FOREST CLUB

Bessemer Reception Class Forest School Sessions

Every Wednesday afternoon your child will take part in a 45 minute forest school session in the Nature Garden with Jolly Foresters.

We will be toasting marshmallows, using tools and getting messy and muddy whilst having lots of fun!

Please ensure your child is wearing closed toe shoes (wellie boots are best) to these sessions and a waterproof coat. If you have waterproof trousers, please bring these too. If you do not have, F@B will be supplying these. In winter please send a hat and gloves

What is Forest school?
Forest School is an inspirational process, that offers the children opportunities to achieve, develop confidence and self esteem, through hands on learning experiences in a local woodland environment."

Many thanks,
The Reception team.

Rainbow - Laura Dunphy with Anastasia Sotiriou

Sunshine - Angela Uzor with Ana-Doris Garcia

Moonbeam - Emily Bull with Azra Garner

Early Years Educator - Sandra La Touche working throughout the setting.

Cover teacher- Anastasia Owusu