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8th October 2026

Dear all,

What an exciting week we have had in Reception! On Tuesday morning we arrived at school to find a letter at the fairy door. It was from Supertato helping us learn how to be the best superhero. He did warn us to watch out for the evil pea as he often follows Supertato, causing chaos! We then spent the afternoon designing junk model traps to try and capture him. Thank you all very much for providing the recyclable materials to support this activity. The children were amazed by the amount of materials they had to choose from! During the afternoon the children demonstrated teamwork, problem solving and amazing creativity. The models they created were fantastic, well done Reception! Please see Tapestry for some wonderful photos.

In phonics this week we have learnt the sounds h,b,f and l. The children have also been introduced to the tricky words I, go and no. The children particularly enjoyed the action for 'f', waving their fairy wands! We did wonder if it would prompt a visit from our class fairy Sparkle! In maths this week we have explored subitising (saying how many objects are in a group without counting) and representing numbers up to 3.

Harvest Festival: Just a quick reminder that next Friday (16th October) the children will be performing at Flyford Church as part of our Harvest Festival. They have been working very hard over the last few weeks on their performance and are excited to share it with our audience.

Forest School: Next week (Friday 16th October) there will be no Forest School due to the Harvest Festival performance. Please can the children come to school in their usual uniform.

Bags: Please can we ask that the children do not have large keyrings/toys on their bookbags, unfortunately this prevents them from fitting in the trays. Thank you for your support.

If there are any questions at all, please come and see us.

Have a lovely weekend.

Kind regards,

Mrs Bown

